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The movement to form a special school district for the purpose of issuing bonds in the sum of $50,000 for the purchase of a site and erection of an up to date school house, has been launched in New Smyrna and the people will be given an opportunity to say whether they desire this improvement, which will help to put the city in the ranks of progressive municipalities, or whether they wish to have their children continue to suffer for a lack of accommodations to carry on their educational work.

Petitions asking the county school board to call an election on the question of bonding the district for the $50,000, have been received here and placed in the hands of a committee, which will canvass the district for the required 25 per cent of the voters When this number of signers has been obtained the petitions will be presented to the county board of public instruction for action.

The question of whether New Smyrna shall have an up to date, commodious school building, where the children may carry on their school work under favorable conditions, is entirely up to the taxpayers of the district There is no doubt that the required 25 per cent of the voters will be found to sign the petitions, but the backers of the movement are anxious to learn the sentiment of a majority of the taxpayers on the question before the petitions are presented to the county school board If the proposition is presented at this time and killed by an election, it can not be brought up again for some time, and by that time the present school building will be entirely inadequate for the needs of the school

It is probable the petitions will not be presented to the county school board until the December meeting, as the November meeting will be held next Monday night, and this does not give the committee sufficient time to circulate the petitions and learn the sentiment of the voters. The petitions were received here Wednesday.

EAST COAST ROAD OFFICIALS INSPECT PROPERTIES HERE

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS MAKE TRIP OVER SYSTEM AND SPEND SOME TIME IN THIS CITY SUNDAY.

On a tour of inspection of the Florida East Coast railroad properties, Vice President W H Beardsley and W R Keenan, the remaining trustees under the provisions of the will of the late Henry M. Flagler, accompanied by Vice Presidents J P Beckwith and J. E. Ingraham, W J Krome, chief engineer, and J. P Greaves, manager of the Royal Palm hotel, arrived in New Smyrna Sunday and spent some time here

The officials made an examination of the railroad properties in this city, talked some time with the local officials of the road and then proceeded on south to look over the properties as far down the coast as Key West and also on the Kissimmee Valley division of the road

While no definite statements to this effect were given out by the railroad officials on their visit here, it is understood Vice President Beardsley will virtually be the head of the railway system until a successor to the late President J R. Parrott is named It is understood that Vice President Ingraham will remain as the head of the land and industries department of the system and that Vice President Beckwith will hold as head of the properties, operating and traffic departments.

Mrs. Kirby Chilton Entertains—

Mrs. Kirby Chilton entertained a few friends at cards last Thursday afternoon and those present spent a very enjoyable afternoon. First prize was awarded to Mrs. Werfelman, Mrs. Hofreiter was given the second prize, and Miss Van Dueson obtained the consolation prize.

DEEP WATERWAYS GATHERING WILL BE HELD HERE NOV. 10

THIS CITY TO ENTERTAIN DELEGATES FROM ALL PARTS OF CENTRAL AND EASTERN PORTIONS OF STATE.

The annual meeting of the Central Florida Deep Waterways association will be held in New Smyrna November 10 and this city will have the privilege of entertaining a large number of delegates to the meeting from all portions of the central part of the state.

Active preparations foor entertaining the convention were started at the regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade last Friday night, when President Leidersdorf appointed a committee, with G. L. Branning as chairman, to make arrangements for the gathering.

The territory which will be represented by the delegates to the gathering covers practically the whole of the central and eastern parts of the state, and notices and invitations have already been sent out by Secretary Harry Hamilton to the boards of trade and members of the association in this territory

The annual election of officers of the association will take place at this meeting and one of the principal things to be done at that time will be the selection of a successor to Judge C E Barrett as president, as Mr Barrett has announced that he will not return to Florida this winter and will be unable to fill his duties as president of the association.

With Harry Hamilton as secretary, M Leidersdorf as a vice president and J H Hibbard, G M Marshall and John McCormick as members of the board of directors, New Smyrna is well represented among the officers of the organization.

At this gathering the general waterways situation in central and eastern Florida will be discussed and plans will be made and talked over for improving and increasing the natural avenues of transportation.

The reports made on the proposition of having Mosquito inlet opened to deep sea navigation will also be talked over and plans will be made for carrying on the fight for government aid in having the inlet made deep enough to accommodate ocean-going vessels.

Just what the entertainment to be arranged for the visitors will consist of is not yet known, but the board of trade committee will soon prepare a progam and begin preparations

BOARD OF TRADE PREPARES FOR ITS INCORPORATION

At the regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade tonight the members will be given a chance to discuss the new constitution and bylaws, which will be submitted to the organization by the board of governors for approval or rejection.

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Other matters of importance are to be considered at the meeting of the board of trade tonight and a full attendance of the members is desired

BAPTIST WOMEN FORM MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The women of the Baptist church held a meeting Monday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Woman's Missionary society, and the following officers were selected to head the new organization

President—Mrs. J. T Jenner
Vice president—Mrs. John Rowe.
Secretary—Mrs. L. E. Amidon.
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MOVEMENT TO FORM SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT LAUNCHED

PETITIONS ASKING COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD TO CALL ELECTION ARE NOW IN THE HANDS OF COMMITTEE.

The movement to form a special school district for the purpose of issuing bonds in the sum of $50,000 for the purchase of a site and erection of an up to date school house, has been launched in New Smyrna and the people will be given an opportunity to say whether they desire this improvement, which will help to put the city in the ranks of progressive municipalities, or whether they wish to have their children continue to suffer for a lack of accommodations to carry on their educational work.

Petitions asking the county school board to call an election on the question of bonding the district for the $50,000, have been received here and placed in the hands of a committee, which will canvass the district for the required 25 per cent of the voters When this number of signers has been obtained the petitions will be presented to the county board of public instruction for action.

The question of whether New Smyrna shall have an up to date, commodious school building, where the children may carry on their school work under favorable conditions, is entirely up to the taxpayers of the district There is no doubt that the required 25 per cent of the voters will be found to sign the petitions, but the backers of the movement are anxious to learn the sentiment of a majority of the taxpayers on the question before the petitions are presented to the county school board If the proposition is presented at this time and killed by an election, it can not be brought up again for some time, and by that time the present school building will be entirely inadequate for the needs of the school

It is probable the petitions will not be presented to the county school board until the December meeting, as the November meeting will be held next Monday night, and this does not give the committee sufficient time to circulate the petitions and learn the sentiment of the voters. The petitions were received here Wednesday.

EAST COAST ROAD OFFICIALS INSPECT PROPERTIES HERE

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS MAKE TRIP OVER SYSTEM AND SPEND SOME TIME IN THIS CITY SUNDAY.

On a tour of inspection of the Florida East Coast railroad properties, Vice President W H Beardsley and W R Keenan, the remaining trustees under the provisions of the will of the late Henry M. Flagler, accompanied by Vice Presidents J P Beckwith and J. E. Ingraham, W J Krome, chief engineer, and J. P Greaves, manager of the Royal Palm hotel, arrived in New Smyrna Sunday and spent some time here

The officials made an examination of the railroad properties in this city, talked some time with the local officials of the road and then proceeded on south to look over the properties as far down the coast as Key West and also on the Kissimmee Valley division of the road

While no definite statements to this effect were given out by the railroad officials on their visit here, it is understood Vice President Beardsley will virtually be the head of the railway system until a successor to the late President J R. Parrott is named It is understood that Vice President Ingraham will remain as the head of the land and industries department of the system and that Vice President Beckwith will hold as head of the properties, operating and traffic departments.

Mrs. Kirby Chilton Entertains—

Mrs. Kirby Chilton entertained a few friends at cards last Thursday afternoon and those present spent a very enjoyable afternoon. First prize was awarded to Mrs. Werfelman, Mrs. Hofreiter was given the second prize, and Miss Van Duesen obtained the consolation prize.

DEEP WATERWAYS GATHERING WILL BE HELD HERE NOV. 10

THIS CITY TO ENTERTAIN DELEGATES FROM ALL PARTS OF CENTRAL AND EASTERN PORTIONS OF STATE.

The annual meeting of the Central Florida Deep Waterways association will be held in New Smyrna November 10 and this city will have the privilege of entertaining a large number of delegates to the meeting from all portions of the central part of the state.

Active preparations foor entertaining the convention were started at the regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade last Friday night, when President Leidersdorf appointed a committee, with G. L. Branning as chairman, to make arrangements for the gathering.

The territory which will be represented by the delegates to the gathering covers practically the whole of the central and eastern parts of the state, and notices and invitations have already been sent out by Secretary Harry Hamilton to the boards of trade and members of the association in this territory

The annual election of officers of the association will take place at this meeting and one of the principal things to be done at that time will be the selection of a successor to Judge C E Barrett as president, as Mr Barrett has announced that he will not return to Florida this winter and will be unable to fill his duties as president of the association.

With Harry Hamilton as secretary, M Leidersdorf as a vice president and J H Hibbard, G M Marshall and John McCormick as members of the board of directors, New Smyrna is well represented among the officers of the organization.

At this gathering the general waterways situation in central and eastern Florida will be discussed and plans will be made and talked over for improving and increasing the natural avenues of transportation.

The reports made on the proposition of having Mosquito inlet opened to deep sea navigation will also be talked over and plans will be made for carrying on the fight for government aid in having the inlet made deep enough to accommodate ocean-going vessels.

Just what the entertainment to be arranged for the visitors will consist of is not yet known, but the board of trade committee will soon prepare a progam and begin preparations

BOARD OF TRADE PREPARES FOR ITS INCORPORATION

At the regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade tonight the members will be given a chance to discuss the new constitution and bylaws, which will be submitted to the organization by the board of governors for approval or rejection.

Active steps toward the incorporation of the board of trade have been taken recently and one of these steps has been the drawing up of a new constitution and bylaws to govern the organization when the incorporation has been completed. A committee appointed some time ago for this work completed its labors and submitted its report two weeks ago. The draft presented by the committee was turned over to the board of governors to be studied and re-arranged and the board of governors completed this work at a special meeting held last Monday night

Other matters of importance are to be considered at the meeting of the board of trade tonight and a full attendance of the members is desired

BAPTIST WOMEN FORM MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The women of the Baptist church held a meeting Monday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Woman's Missionary society, and the following officers were selected to head the new organization

President—Mrs. J. T Jenner
Vice president—Mrs. John Rowe.
Secretary—Mrs. L. E. Amidon.
Treasurer—Mrs. N. L. Pace.
Membership committee—Mrs. H. A. Jernigan, Mrs. Isaac Powell.

The regular meetings of the new society will be held in the Union church the first Thursday in each month.

Carl Johnson of Jacksonville was in town Sunday calling on friends.

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News in and Around Daytona

H. H. Hough was a Melbourne visitor for a day or two the fore part of this week.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McNeely will regret to learn that Mrs. McNeely is quite ill at her home 315 Volusia avenue.

E. L. Bond last Saturday purchased through A. J. Malby a lot from Dr. N. H. Clark, located on Orange avenue west of the railroad.

W. W. Hilyard and Mrs. A. O. Holroyd arrived last Saturday evening and joined the other members of the Prince George party who had preceded them to Daytona.

The Ladies' Auxilliary of the Elks club will hold the first meeting of the season, with election of officers, at the Elks home next Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Will Cowan, who has been at Lake City during the summer, returned to Daytona Wednesday afternoon to spend the winter, as has been his custom for several seasons past.

Mrs. Mary G Duck and daughter, Miss Minnie Duck, arrived Wednesday afternoon from Atlanta, Ga., and are again established for the season in the Gammell apartment house on North Palmetto avenue

Mrs. Geo. H. Ward and Frank Pertlick arrived Wednesday fromWest Liberty, Iowa, to spend the winter, as usual. They will this season occupy apartments over the Peoples State Bank.

Mrs. Imogene Barker and daughter, Miss Minerva Barker, who have been at their former home, Pelham, N. Y., for two months or more, returned last Sunday morning and are again occupying their winter home on Emmett street

J H Dressner and son were in the city Tuesday in their launch, accompanied by a party which included F. B. Nordman, Sr. They had expected to return home the same day, but bad weather and engine troubles compelled them to remain here until Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. R. A. Carnine drove over to this city from DeLand last Saturday and went from here to St. Augustine by train to hold quarterly conference and services in that city, Sunday. He returned here Monday, but some trouble with his car prevented his return to DeLand until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Michael, who have been at their home place at Berwick, Pa., during the summer, returned to Daytona recently and are at their winter home on South Ridgewood avenue for the season, joining their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hutton, who remained here during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Paske of Cleveland are looking over Daytona with much interest. Mrs. Paske goes from here to Stuart where he will assume the management of the real estate business of J. A. Lucas. While here Mr. and Mrs. Paske are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lucas at the Cleveland.

Mrs. Fannie Rust of Winchester, Mass., has been the guest of J. A. Lucas and family the past week. Mrs. Rust owns considerable Florida real estate and is an enthusiast over the future of the state. She left on the afternoon train for West Palm Beach where she will be entertained by Miss Lucia E. Wood.

E. C. Pfahl, th West Palm Beach associate of J. A. Lucas, together with his wife and two children arived here Wednesday from Cleveland and are being entertained at the Cleveland by Mr. and Mrs. Lucas. They will view the beauties of Daytona before going to West Palm Beach wher Mr. Pfahl takes active management of the J. A. Lucas office.

Mrs. F. A. Newell and daughter, Miss Edith Newell, are again occupying their home on North Ridgewood avenue, after an absence of more than a year. They arrived last Friday from New York, having been in the Adirondacks during a part of the summer. Mrs. Newell and daughter made a tour abrod after leaving here, visiting Algiers and many points of interest in Europe.

Mrs. George Beardsley, who has been spending the summer at New Milford, Conn., and other points in New England, returned to Daytona last Monday and is at her home, Orange and Palmetto avenues, for the winter. Mrs. Beardsley is accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Fred H. Warner, of New Milford, who will spend the season here with her. Mrs. Warner and children spent several seasons in Daytona some years since, the last time being nine years ago.

Mrs. F. T. Polatty, of Myrtle avenue, was a DeLand visitor from Monday until Thursday of this week.

Mrs. A. Staples returned last Saturday and rejoined Mr. Staples at their South Beach street home. During the summer Mrs. Staples visited her eldest son, Dr. G. B. Cutten, president of Acadia university of Wolfeville, Nova Scotia, a daughter in Portland, Me., and another daughter in Foxboro, Mass. She also visited her old home in Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, and relatives in Milford, Conn.

Wedded in Jacksonville —

Friends in this city who were not intimate with the contracting parties were surprised to hear of the marriage of Miss Julia Stewart, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart, of Jacksonville and formerly of Daytona, to Clarence S. Rose of Seabreeze and once of Philadelphia. The wedding took place in Jacksonville, October 22nd.

Congregational Church Notes —

Sunday School at 9:45 a m Morning service at 11. Theme , "A Hiding Place."

No evening preaching service on account of lecture by Dr. Taylor in the school auditorium.

There will be a meeting of all interested in the organization of a C. E society, in Social Hall of the church, Sunday evening at 6:30. All are invited to this meeting for discussion and organization.

UNION ASSOCIATION OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS FORMED.

A mass meeting of the Sunday Schools of Daytona and vicinity met in Social Hall, Congregational church Wednesday evening and organized a Sunday School association for this section. A large number was present to manifest their interest in the future of the Sunday Schools of this vicinity. The object of this association is to get the different schools more closely affiliated in the general work as now carried on by the different churches. This association will soon begin a house-to-house visitation in the interests of the Bible Schools of Daytona and vicinity. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. S. Linnaeus Jackson; vice president, S Mills; secretary-treasurer, B. Foster.

FINE HARD SURFACED ROAD TO TITUSVILLE.

Mr and Mrs. W C. Branch and Mr. and Mrs. J. Erlin Brown made an automobile trip to Titusville, Tuesday morning in Mr. Branch's car, returning home in the evening, very much enthused with the excellent condition of the road and the beautiful scenery along the way. The distance is between 49 and 50 miles and all, they say, is as good or better than the road to New Smyrna with the exception of one short stretch of about a mile. The road passes through orange groves and handsome woodland and in one place many acres of wild sunflowers in bloom presented a very beautiful sight. The party want to know why this section of the highway is so much superior to that between Daytona and St. Augustine.

Look to True Accomplishment.

An idle mind is possible with busy hands; so often this is forgotten. We may do many things and accomplish little, simply because the activity is skin deep, outward, superficial. We want rest for our attainments to sink in, to gather our harvest, understand and sift it. We may see too much to see anything clearly, bear too mush to really listen; with much hastening we do not always arrive.

Where Theft is Unknown.

Finland is a realm whose inhabitants are remarkable for their inviolate integrity. There are no banks and no safe deposits, for no such security is essential. You may leave your luggage anywhere for any length of time, and be quite sure of finding it untouched on your return, and your purse full of money would be just as secure under similar circumstances.

Critics, Take Notice.

Great writers cautingly criticised by small writers—of whom Dr. Parr might be happy to say, that they have profundity without obscurity—perspicuity without prolixity—ornament without glare—terseness without barrenness—penetration without subtlety—comprehensiveness without digression—and a great number of other things without a great number of other things.—Sydney Smith

New Horticultural Idea.

Using mercury vapor lamps in her greenhouse, a Scotch woman horticulturist not only forces seeds to sprout and plants to grow in half the usual time, but also produces greater depth of color in the vegetation.

Virtue.

Virtue is a device for making death less horrible. Virtue is the will without the deed. Virtue is its own punishment.—Smart Set.

Love In the Stock Market

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

About the close of the last century, when shares on the stock market were rising and falling like the waves of the sea under a storm, James Rigdon was for a time a power in Wall street. When it was reported that Rigdon was selling a stock everybody rushed to sell. When he bought the price would rise like the thermometer on a July morning

Rigdon was a bachelor, and as soon as it became known among his women friends that he knew what stocks were going up and what were going down he received more attention than the handsomest man in New York. One of these ladies, Miss Martindale, he wished to claim as his own, but despite all he could do he couldn't find out whether she had any use for him other than to learn how to make money in stocks.

One evening while with her she importuned him to give her a tip on some stock that was about to be "put up." He explained to her that when he boomed a stock, if it were known that he was booming it, it would rise in value, but the trouble was that, when he wished to unload, the moment it was known that he had begun to sell, down would go the market and he would be left with a lot of "undigested securities" on his hands He was about to put up the market price on a certain stock, but he could not take her into his scheme, for if it were known that she was buying and selling by his advice it would result disastrously for him.

"But I won't tell," she said.

"Can I rely on you?"

"Certainly."

"Very well. Buy Onarora Copper It is selling at 7 cents a share."

"How awfully kind of you!"

"I can rely on you?"

"Surely."

She gave his hand a special pressure when he left her and, running to the telephone, ordered him to purchase 1,000 shares of Onarora Copper. He did so without disturbing the market price of the stock half a point. Then she fell to thinking that her father and her brother and her sister would be delighted to participate in her good fortune, so she told them she had bought Onarora. There was no need for them to ask her why, because they knew she had for a long while been endeavoring to get a tip out of Mr. Rigdon. Surely there was no breach of confidence in this.

So the Martindale family put what spare money they had in Onarora Copper, and each told his broker his reasons for doing so Each broker had a number of speculators hanging about his office who were given the tip. The stock rose slowly and beautifully like a balloon sailing up toward the sky. Now and again it would fall back, a few thousand shares being thrown upon the market.

"Manipulation," said those in the secret. "The price is rising too rapidly for him. He hasn't got all he wants. Wait a bit."

By and by these sales grew smaller, and for some time the stock ceased to be offered. Miss Martindale asked Mr. Rigdon if it were not time to sell. He replied, "Not yet." And the stock went higher. Then suddenly it began to tumble. Every one who had been speculating on the Rigdon tip began to get "from under" except the Martindale family. When Onarora had sunk to the price they paid for it Miss Martindale sent for Mr. Rigdon and asked him if the boom was over.

"Yes, it is," he replied, "and I have unloaded all I had, some 40,000 shares, at a fair price."

Miss Martindale looked appalled.

"I supposed," she said coldly, "that you were to let me know when to sell as well as to buy."

"That would not have accorded with my plans. I told you when to buy, and you told others. I knew you would and that your tips to others would put up the stock. If I had told you when to sell it would have spoiled my scheme."

"In other words, you have used me to your own advantage. You have not only disappointed me, but you have induced me to disappoint others."

"How have I induced you to disappoint others?"

"Why, they knew I bought the stock and surmised that I did so by your advice."

"And you did not tell them the secret. Well, you had no occasion to tell them. I believe that, in all, you and your family hold 3,000 shares. Am I right?"

"You are."

"Well, when the stock reached its highest stage I sold 3,000 shares for your account and also sold 3,000 shares more for you to be delivered within thirty days after the sale. You and your family have made on the rise of the stock $12,000 and as much more on the fall."

Miss Martindale stood looking at Mr. Rigdon with astonishment, the cold look on her face breaking into a smile. Then she put out her hand. Mr. Rigdon improved the opportunity by putting the other hand around her waist and, drawing her to him, kissed her, at the same time proposing a new deal by which she should always profit by his operations.

Illustrations of gold on one side of a scale and love on the other, gold outweighing love, are very popular. The above is an instance where gold was used to entice love.

Holly Hill

HOLLY HILL, Oct. 28. — Lovick Blitch returned Sunday from spending the summer in the middle west. When he left Montana last week there was a foot of snow on the ground. Lovick says he is glad to get back to Florida.

Misses Etta and Helena Loftburg, of DeLand, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peterson.

C. F. Wetherell has made some alterations in his house, plastering some of the rooms and a new coat of paint on the exterior. He has also erected a building to house his new auto which is coming this week.

S. T. Hill has put an addition of two rooms on his house, a fire place and other improvements.

W. A. Baggett, of Seabreeze, has purchased the C. A. Ballough place on the river front and is having the house plastered and other improvements made preparatory to occupying it. The house was ceiled and this is being torn out and replaced by plaster.

R. R. Posten and family, who for some time have been occupying the C. A. Ballough house, recently purchased by W. A. Baggett of Seabreeze, have removed to Ormond, wher they will make their home.

Dr. H. R. Estes, who is making his home with his daughter, Mrs. S. I. Merwin, and husband, was summoned to Palatka as a witness in a damage suit against the F. E. C. railway, and went to that city Monday.

Killed by Flying Splinter.

A curious death befell a child at St. Die, France, the other day. A man was cutting up tree trunks for firing. He was splitting some of the large ones by boring a hole, putting in a little gunpowder, and exploding it. A girl of eight watched him from behind a first-floor window which closed. Suddenly a trunk exploded, and a splinter flew up, smashed through the window, and pierced the child's heart. She died immediately.

First Use of Tobacco.

The cigar has a long history. Tobacco may have been used in cigar form before it was burned in pipes, sniffed as snuff or taken as a "quid," but on this point there is no proof. Two of the sailors under Columbus on the first voyage reported that they had seen natives of the new-found world with firebrands in their mouths and with smoke issuing from their lips.

Snake Put Town in Darkness.

A 20-inch green snake put out all the electric lights in the town of Mullins, S. C. In the morning linemen found it tangled in some wires on a pole. It had crawled to the top of the pole and coming in contact with the wires forced a short circuit, put out the lights and incidently died.

Stain Remover.

It is sometimes difficult to keep the kitchen paper free from grease stains. They may be removed entirely if a mixture of pipe clay and water made the consistency of cream is spread over them and allowed to remain over night. In the morning it should be removed with a clean brush or cloth.

Famous Paragraph by a Cynic.

Zapata, having received no response, began preaching simply of God. He taught people of the father of mankind, the rewarder, the punisher and pardoner. He separated truth from falsehood and religion from fanaticism. He taught any practiced virtue. He was gentle, kind hearted and modest, and was burned at the stake at Valladolid in the year of our Lord, 1651.—Voltaire.

No More School Slates.

Remember the old school slates, bound in red flannel to prevent the noise of slate rattling that used to become unbearable, until manufacturers found how to muffle them? Stores selling school supplies used to carry great stocks of them, for it was a rare day in a room that did not see a slate or two broken; but where are they all now? Since the boards of health decided that they were insanitary and decreed against them, the whole tribe has disappeared.

Early Cultivation of Tobacco.

The cultivation of the tobacco plant was about the first thing the American colonists turned their attention to upon recovering from the gold fever. It is known that John Rolfe, the husband of Pocahontas, had a field of tobacco at Jamestown in 1612, and it is believed that the plant was cultivated by Rolfe and his neighbors at an earlier date than that. The export records of tobacco from Jamestown colony appear to begin in 1612.

Beets as Fertilizers.

An explanation of the improvement of European agriculture in recent years has been sought, and in Germany it is attributed to soil stimulation from beet culture. From the books of eight scattered estates where beets have been grown for sugar, Dr. Lilienthal finds an increase in the yield of wheat of 5.95 bushels per acre; rye, 1.59; barley, 6.51, and oats, 5.77. Cattle have increased, and the net income has been raised by as high as 70 per cent.

Ormond

J. A. REILLY, Correspondent

ORMOND, Oct. 28.—Dr. Huntington has bought six of the Worthy lots on the peninsula and probably will build on the river front, within a short time.

Mr. Weatherbee arrived in Ormond Thursday.

Leonard Knox and son returned to Ormond Saturday.

Mrs. Pitts returned from Dr. Frances hospital Monday afternoon, much improved. Her niece, Mrs. Blossom, from Massachusetts, who will stop with her this winter, accompanied her.

Judge Stewart was in Ormond Sunday. He left for Jacksonville in the afternoon.

W. H. Barker and wife arrived in Ormond Saturday.

Mr. Hill and friends from Philadelphia spent a number of days last week looking over Ormond Park. Improvements will begin soon. Mr. Bramell will have charge of the work.

J. Wilson Miller returned Monday. Mr. Miller is glad to get back to Ormond.

Mrs. Frank Colby returned home Monday P. M. She spent a very pleasant summer with her daughter, Mrs. I. H. Sawyer.

Mr. Burr and Mrs. Smyth returned Thursday. Mr. Burr is feeling better than he did a year ago.

Frank Colby has his garage completed and will soon want a license for his auto.

Mrs. Udora Watson will return about November 10th.

Three of J. Wilson Millers houses are rented. Houses are renting early this season.

Mrs. John A. Reilly and daughter returned from Jacksonville Monday.

Chas. Cook is improving; is now able to meet his friends at the door when they call.

Allandale

ALLANDALE, Oct. 26. — Mitchell Hunter has the rock on his lot, corner of Wornock Place and Ridgewood avenue for his home anl chimney and expects to build his home in the near future.

The Will Howes house has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. J. Rusk and L. A. Andrews, of Haines Falls, N. Y., who own quite a bit of property in Allandale and, contemplates various business enterprises here later on.

F. A. Sparkman has finished shelling Roxby Place and it will be rolled down this week. Roxby Place is one of the prettiest streets in the township.

A well has been driven on the lot of Mrs. Clara Taylor where the rock bungalow and garage is to be built. Mrs. Taylor and her daughter enjoy bringing friends over from DeLand in their handsome Stearn-Knight car, to enjoy the delightful coast air and scenery, and she is rapidly becoming an Allandale booster.

Mr. Dittman and Malone have completed the coquina rock work chimney and fireplace at the Allandale Inn. The third floor is about completed and we think all those who like to sleep till the rising bell rings will appreciate the restful mission stain which has been given to the bed rooms. The furniture should be here soon and it is hoped that the Inn will be open for Thanksgiving.

We hope that home builders will make generous use of the coquina rock as all the homes that have gone up have used it in foundations, chimneys, and fireplaces. If we are called the coquina town we will be proud of it.

Mrs. W. C. Howes arrived home on Saturday after a very pleasant summer down Cape Cod way and with friends in Boston. Mrs. H. is looking well and has had a most pleasant summer but is glad to get back to the Land of Sunshine and Flowers.

Mr. Hicks has been busy cleaning up his lot on Ridgewood. It is surprising how different property looks here when it is well cleaned off. It is hoped that many other of the lot owners will follow Mr. Hicks example. Mr. Hicks has had some luck this week fishing for bass and trout, they seem to run well about here.

J. M. Rickman will open a real estate office here in the near future with a branch at Port Orange, making a specialty of Allandale property. The Rickmans are delighted with their new home; they think it so much higher and dryer than on Dunlawton, where they lived for the past two years. Mr. Rickman is for Allandale first, last and all the time.

Heat Lightning.

Heat lightning is ascribed to distant lightning flashes which are below the horison, but illuminate the higher strata of clouds so that their brightness is visible at great distances; they produce no sound, probably in consequence of the fact of their being so far off that the rolling of thunder cannot reach the ear of the observer.

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STATE HAPPENINGS

News from Fair Florida Briefly Told

A spelling match will be pulled off between the Ft. Meade board of trade and the high school, the receipts to be devoted to the board of trade boosters fund.

Naval stores operators in this state are considering the plan of cutting down the output for the ensuing year owing to losses sustained recently by overproduction.

Three main canals, each two miles long, and several latterals, will be dug at Stuart by the Palm Beach Realty company. About nine months will be required to complete the work.

The annual convention of the Florida Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Orlando the week beginning November 4 A large number of delegates from all over the state will attend

The interstate commerce commission has declared that the rates of the Florida East Coast railway on vegetables in mixed carloads and potatoes in hampers from Florida points to Chicago are "unreasonable and excessive and must be adjusted."

The Arcadia Enterprise says: "The King Parker cattle company shipped a train load of about 40 cars of fine cattle to Kansas City yesterday, making the second large shipment they have made recently The shipment yesterday included about 1,500 head, and the stock were in good condition

Articles of incorporation for a railroad from Tampa to the East Coast by way of Charlotte Harbor, and to be known as the Tampa, Charlotte Harbor and East Coast railroad, with a capital stock of $3,000,000 have been filed with the secretary of state and the building of the new road is practicall assured

Bishop William Crane Gray, who has given practically his entire life to the advancement of the Episcopal church in the south, has resigned His last 20 years have been given to Florida where he has done yeoman service in behalf of the Seminole Indians and in laying the foundation for many churches and schools, one of the most succesful the Cathedral school in Orlando Bishop Gray is highly honored in this entire state

Orlando is branching out again; this time away up in the atmosphere. They are going to have a roof garden It will be 87 feet above the ground and will have space for the accommodation of 600 people. It will be on top of the Yowell - Duckworth building. This will be an entertainment department of the great department store that will be run by the firm above named There will be pergolas, flowers, ferns, etc, and refreshment tables for 600

Plant City is going to celebrate a new kind of a day; this time it is "Strawberry Day." January 1st has been designated as the day for the celebration, which will no doubt result in great and beneficial advertising for the strawberry section, as Plant City is refered to now. A bumper crop is predicted for this season. A quart of berries will be sent to Governor Park Trammell, at Tallahassee, in time for his dinner on New Year's day so he can partake of the luscious fruit

Announcement has been made that William M Holloway, of Gainesville, had been named by the treasury department as one of the three members of the board which will thereafter inspect and pass upon all public building sites in the South Mr. Halloway's appointment is directly due to effort on the part of Representative Clark of Florida, chairman of the house committee of buildings and grounds, who has been insistent for some time that there should be more method employed in the country's public building policy

Running over a five-foot rattlesnake on the road between Tampa and Plant City yesterday afternoon H. L. Green, Jr, assistant manager of the Coronet Phosphate company, accompanied by N H Harrison, claim agent for the Tampa Northern railway, had an experience that would not occur again in a century, says the Tribune. A big rattler was crossing the road slowly, when the car passed across him, a foot from his bunch of rattles, and as quick as a flash the reptil struck at the tire with his fangs Both deadly bits of bone passed through the outer casing of the tire and into the inner tube, puncturing it. the snake was literally thrashed to death by the revolving wheel, the rubber compressing the fangs so that they could not be withdrawn.

The railroad commissioners have issued an order requiring the Seaboard Air Line railway to build additional and better depot facilities at Raleigh.

Rather than pay their proportion of paving, which will be assessed when Seventh street in St Petersburg is paved, the street car officials say they will move their track to another street.

The mayor of St. Augustine has issued an order postponing "clean-up day" from October 27 to November 7 in order that the citizens might fully understand what cleaning-up generally means.

Noel A. Mitchell of St. Petersburg, has extended an invitation to Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, the British militant suffragette who has been allowed to land in New York, to visit the Sunshine City and make an address there.

The circuit court grand jury of Escambia county is investigating the high rate of interest charged by some of the Pensacola land sharks and there are excellent prospects of numerous true bills for usury being returned by the investigators.

The Hotel Schultz at Punta Rassa was burned a few nights ago and the loss was complete as the insurance policy had lapsed some 60 days ago The building is said to have been worth probably $30,000 or $40,000 and will be a severe blow to the tourist trade of south Florida

Miami is all alive over a plan to bond for a large sum — from $200,000 to $300,000 — for the sole pjurpose of acquiring sites and building municipal docks If such bonds carry it will give that city a magnificent prospect for future trade — and will receive the co-operation of the federal authorities.

Work on the $80,000 freight station in Lakeland, which has just been started is now held up on account of an injunction having been applied for by T. B Hendrix and other property owners, in which objections were raised that the erection of the station, additional tracks, etc, would prove injurious to surrounding property.

John Bunny, the great favorite of those who frequent the movies, has accepted the invitation of W. C. Temple, of citrus fame, to spend the winter season at Winter Park, near Sanford. Mr. Bunny will bring his company of players and occupy the large 18-room residence belonging to Mr. Temple.

The only thing now needed on the East Coast to perfect the Elysian character of that region, is a buttermilk farm, one with a 40,000 gallon capacity Positively, there are no buttermilk cows over there and the old men who frequent that modern paradise sadly miss their favorite beverage.—Punta Gorda Herald

Clearwater is in an admirable frame of mind at present. It has just signed a contract for a new hotel which has so long been desired bythat city. While the hotel cannot be completed in time for the coming winter season, it will be there for the next one and Clearwater will no longer have to explain the lack of suitable accommodations for its visitors.

Kissimmee has a new furniture factory The new enterprise has been started without much noise and without much preliminary negotiation, but it is an actuality all the same and is now turning out very pretty furniture made out of the native yellow pine and cypress The establishment is fully equipped with a very complete outfit of most modern machinery. Its output at present is principally furniture of the mission type and compares favorably in style and finish with any made anywhere.

They Take No Chances.

The Chinese blacksmith thinks a great deal of his anatomy, when shoeing horses, which are not numerous in China He is so skittish in doing a job of shoeing and so dubious about handling the hoofs of the animal, that, when shoeing is required, the horse is strung up with ropes in such a manner as to prevent kicking. No exceptions are made, even though the horse be a scrawny street plug of advanced age

Rest in Forgetfulness.

"Who does not love to shuffle off time and its concerns at intervals—to forget who is president and who is governor, what race he belongs to, what language he speaks—and to listen to the great liquid metronome as it beats its solemn measure, steadily swinging, when the solo or duet of human life began, and to swing just as steadily after the human chorus has died out and man is a fossil on its shores"—The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.

History of the Lemon.

The lemon has a clear history. Unknown to the Greeks and Romans, it was introduced into Spain by the Arabs in the twelfth century, and in 1494 was being cultivated in the Azores and shipped in large quantities to northern Europe.

Circumstantial Evidence

By DAVID WALTER CHURCH

A stagecoach lumbered along through the Rocky mountains in the region of a newly discovered mining district. In it were three women and four men One of the men had a young face, but was prematurely gray. He kept his fellow passengers from becoming dull by telling stories and otherwise amusing them When the coach reached a relay he left it and those he had entertained were sorry to part with him

The coach had not gone far on the next relay before the passengers heard pistol shots and the body of the driver came tumbling down from the box. Immediately a man with white hair and whose face was concealed by a mask rode to the side of the coach where the passengers could see him and ordered them to step out, line up and disgorge The order was obeyed by all except one man, who, watching his opportunity, struck the robber a blow on the cheek; the strings which tied on his mask were broken and it fell to the ground, revealing a face that excited the astonishment of all.

In the robber they recognized their fellow traveler who had but recently parted from them

He shot the man who had attacked him, collected the valuables of the passengers and rode away One of the men mounted to the box and drove to the next relay.

The robbery was reported and a description of the robber given. A posse was organized and scoured the country round about. But they did not have to go far to find their man. He was found on the porch of a tavern smoking a cigar After looking at him a moment the sheriff arrested him

"What do you want with me?" he asked in real or pretended astonishment.

"You're wanted for the robbery of the coach that was held up and the murder of two persons What's your name?"

"Edward Livermore."

"Well, Livermore, if that's your name, we're going to take you to the county seat to be tried. Come along."

Livermore assured the men that they were making a mistake, but they paid no attention to what he said and took him to jail He begged to have a speedy trial since he was looking for mining property and the mistake that had been made was delaying him His request was granted partly because the evidence of the other passengers of the coach in which he had traveled was required and they were anxious to go about their business.

At the trial every one of them swore that Livermore was the robber and murderer. Another thing against him was that he had come to the tavern on a horse the same color as the robber had ridden when the coach was attacked Livermore explained this by saying that he had hired the horse near the relay where he had left the coach

Not a person in the courtroom but believed the prisoner and the robber were the same person He had but little evidence to give in his behalf, and when it was in the public prosecutor rested the case The judge instructed the jury, which retired and in half an hour returned with a verdict of guilty

The judge was about to pass sentence when a man, who said he was a barber, entered the courtroom and asked to be heard He said that the day before the robbery a man, who resembled the accused, had entered his shop to be shaved. During the shaving he had talked with the barber, who told him that he had recently come from the east with a remnant of a stock, including some wigs. The customer had purchased a white one.

This testimony made an impression on all in court except the judge. He considered it for a few minutes, then announced that he had decided not to regard it. Six fellow passengers of the prisoner had sworn that he was the murderer. The story of the barber was on its face a cheap device on the part of some friend to save him. It would not accord with the laws of evidence to regard it, conflicting as it did with the testimony of so many disinterested witnesses of good character

Livermore simply declared his innocence, saying that the real robber had bought the white wig for a disguise to help conceal his identity. The witnesses had been deceived by the similarity in the appearance of the two men.

Having listened to this statement, the judge passed the sentence, condemning the convicted man to be hanged on a certain date. He died protesting his innocence and predicting that some day the real murderer would turn up.

The murder and execution were followed by other robberies, apparently by different persons, for no two were dressed alike or looked alike, though, being always masked, their faces were never seen. Finally one of them was arrested and convicted The evening before he was swung off he confessed that he had committed all these crimes in different disguises, the first being the murder for which Livermore had been executed His resemblance to Livermore was very strong. When a white wig was put on his head several of those who had testified against Livermore saw their error and felt they had sent an innocent man to the scaffold The man who had committed the crime was executed, but it was not possible to bring Livermore back to life.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intend to apply to the Governor of the State of Florida, at his office in Tallahassee, Florida, on the 25th day of November, 1913, for Letters Patent incorporating them, their associates and successors into a body politic and corporate in deed and in law under the name of Indian Springs Land Co, under the following proposed Charter and Articles of Incorporation.

WILLIAM J. GREENE,
AUGUST GREENE
FRANK H LANG

Articles of Incorporation of Indian Springs Land Co.

We, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a body politic and corporate under the laws of the State of Florida and subscribe to the following articles of incorporation.

1st. The name of this corporation shall be Indian Springs Land Co Its principal place of business shall be New Smyrna, Volusia county, Florida.

2nd The general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be to acquire through purchase or otherwise, real estate and personal property, to improve, to sell, to rent, to lease and to incumber the same, to borrow and loan loan money, and accept and give all kinds of securities therefor, to make any and all necessary by laws and to alter them for the government of its officers and directors.

3d The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be $100,000 00 divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of $100 00 each, to be issued only when paid for in full by cash or real and personal property, or services, the value of said property or services to be in each case fixed and determined by the board of directors at a régular meeting or at a special meeting to be called for that purpose by the directors or a majority thereof

4th The term for which said corporation shall exist is fifty years

5th The business of said corporation shall be conducted by a president, a vice president and a secretary-treasurer and a board of three directors, and such other officers and agents as may be hereafter appointed

The board of directors shall be elected by the stockholders at their annual meeting The other officers of the corporation shall be selected immediately thereafter by the board of directors. The term of office of all officers and directors shall be ore year or until their successor has been elected and qualified. The annual meeting of the corporation shall be held on the 2nd Tuesday in January in each year hereafter, unless hereafter changed by by laws of said corporation The first meeting of the stockholders shall be held in New Smyrna, Friday, January 12, 1914, for the purpose of electing officers, adopting by-laws, and a seal, and perfecting the organization.

The names of the officers who shall conduct the business of the corporation until those elected at the first election shall be qualified, are

William J Greene, President.
Max Leidersdorf, Vice President
August Greene, Secretary Treasurer.
William J Greene, August Greene, Frank H Lang, Directors

6th The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation can at any time subject itself, shall be $50,000 00.

7th The names and residences of the subscribers and incorporators, and the amount of stock subscribed for by each, are as follows:

William J Greene, Chicago, Illinois, 499 shares

August Greene, Chicago, Illinois, 499 shares.

Frank H. Lang, Chicago, Illinois, 2 shares.

In witness whereof, We, the subscribers and incorporators, have hereunto set our hands and seals this 16th day of October, A D, 1913

WILLIAM J. GREENE.
AUGUST GREENE.
FRANK H LANG.

State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss:

I, Robert F. Kolb, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that William J. Greene, August Greene and Frank H. Lang, to me known and known to be the same persons described in and who executed the foregoing articles of incorporation, personally appeared before me this day and severally acknowledged that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 16th day of October A. D. 1913.

ROBERT F. KOLB,
Notary Public in and-for Cook County, Illinois. My commission expires December 6, 1916.

For a Sick Room.

Take an ordinary wax candle and burn until the taper becomes level; then put out the flame and cover the top with a layer of salt, leaving only the blackened end of the wick exposed. It will give out a faint but steady light.

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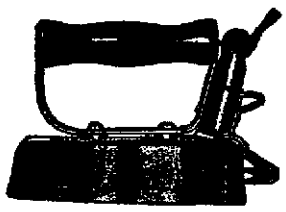

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DEEP WATER Our Slogan

The newspapers all over the state of Florida are taking up the fight for better schools throughout the state and in many places the citizens are responding to the call for improvement in conditions by building larger and better school houses and thus adding to the general attractions of the towns

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New Smyrna is what might be called a pretty town but a little extra effort should be made to develop the natural beauties of the city and make it as attractive as possible for the winter visitors who are now arriving from the north Judicious pruning of trees and shrubbery and planting at this season a number of the tender annuals which grow in the north only in the summer time will add much to the natural attractiveness of the city and make it more inviting to strangers as well as more pleasant for the home folks

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The people of this section of Volusia county should earnestly accept the spirit of the proclamation of Governor Trammell designating Friday, Nov 21 as a state good roads day when all able bodied citizens are expected to lend moral financial and physical assistance in repairing and building good roads throughout the state This experiment has been tried in other states and in one county in this state and has proved a big success Every man can spare one day from his business and labors to help build roads and New Smyrna should be the banner town of the state in turning out to work for this cause

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While Major Slattery has admitted that freight rates on the East Coast are high, he states that no inlet should be deepened for commercial purposes until a boat line has been established and commerce is actually moving through that body of water Possibly he will tell us how any ordinary size boat can get through Mosquito and other inlets along the coast unless they are deepened first To open the inlets and the commerce will follow but probably not in such a large volume as predicted by the secretary of the New Smyrna board of trade—Stuart Times

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OUR SCHOOL.

The News does not make a practice of publishing annoymous communications and has a set rule against giving space to any communication without the name of the writer but it gladly prints today the letter from Mrs Blank concerning the entertainment given last Saturday night for the benefit of the public school library The letter is not anonymous because it was brought to the office by the writer with the request that the name be withheld and the News approves the sentiments expressed The time has come when the people of New Smyrna must realize that important changes in school conditions must be made if the pupils are to be given the proper training for their work in life and these changes can not be brought about without earnest effort on the part of the people of the city The one change most needed at this time is a larger and more sanitary building in a better location and this is the matter to which the people should turn their attention now The way to obtain this building was fully explained in a communication from the local board of trustees published in the News recently and the time to act is now

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GET AWAY BACK

The Enterprise will not publish any more articles designed to convince anyone of the value of good roads The argument so far as we are concerned is closed and the case is up to the jury

The other day we were arguing with a man upon this subject and explained how good roads would increase the value of his land He said he did not want the value of his land increased as that would increase correspondingly the taxes on his land That was a stunner and we frankly acknowledge that he had us out on a limb

However we closed the debate at once by advising him to allow the good roads to come along, then sell his land at an increased value, and buy more cheap land back of the road so far in the back part of the backwoods that his chickens would cross with the owls, and there live in seclusion and become a gink—Arcadia Enterprise

DATES FOR OPERATION OF THE BIG HOTELS

Announcement of the opening and closing times for the big hotels of the Florida East Coast Hotel company has been made, as follows

Ponce de Leon—St Augustine opens Tuesday January 6, 1914 under the management of Robert Murray Closes Monday, April 6, 1914

Alcazar, St Augustine, opens Saturday, December 6 1913, under the management of Wm McAuliffe Closes Tuesday, April 14, 1914

Ormond—Ormond opens Wednesday January 7 1914 under the management of U J Truderu Closes Saturday April 4 1914

The Breakers—Palm Beach, opens Tuesday, December 23, 1913, under the management of Leland Story Closes Thursday April 2, 1914

Royal Poinciana—Palm Beach opens Thursday January 8 1914 under the management of H E Bemis Closes Saturday March 28, 1914

Royal Palm—Miami opens Thursday January 1 1914, under the management of Joseph P Grenier Closes Thursday April 2 1914

The Colonial—Nassau, Bahama Islands opens Saturday, January 3 1914 under the management of I W Greene Closes Thursday, April 2 1914

Long Key Fishing Camp—Long Key, opens Saturday December 20, 1913, under the management of L P Schutt Closes Saturday, April 18 1914

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From South—
3 35 a. m; 9 40 a m.; 2 50 p m
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EVIDENCE IS STRONG THAT R. E. BALDWIN OF DAYTONA WAS MURDERED, BUT MOTIVE IS NOT KNOWN.

The body of R E Baldwin, one of the most prominent naval stores operators of Volusia county, was found in a lonely spot in the woods about a mile from his turpentine still in the Tomoka region probably 12 miles north of his home in Daytona, about dusk Wednesday evening

Mr Baldwin left his home in Daytona early Tuesday and from Ormond made the trip to the camp on horse back His failure to return home at all Tuesday led to a search, the outcome of which was the uncovering of a dastardly murder Roped strapped, and wired to the horse, badly bruised, and with a bullet hole through his brain, the searchers found Mr Baldwin's body, mute evidence of the victim of having been shot from ambush, probably from the gun of a negro, with a number of whom Mr Baldwin has had serious trouble from time to time Although Mr Baldwin was subject to heart trouble, the suicide or accidental death theory seems absurb from the condition of the body, the location of the bullet, and the looks of the wound

An autopsy of the body was performed at the Bingham & Maley morgue in Daytona Thursday morning and the body is being held there pending the verdict of a coroner's inquest which will be held today near the scene of the crime The dead man is survived by a wife and two children living on Bay street in Daytona

Meet me at Palace opening night Williams Stock Co

Miss Joy H Smith of Columbus, Ohio, has accepted the new position of fourth grade teacher in the New Smyrna school Miss Smith is a graduate of the University of Ohio with degrees of A B and B S and has had successful experience as a teacher She will arrive here Sunday and begin work Monday

Good vaudeville at the Palace.

The business men of Pensacola have completed the organization of the Pensacola Business Men's association. The association has a membership of about 300

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Some dancers with Williams Stock

Another train load of 20 cars of cattle left Kissimmee Friday for the Miller Bros' ranch in Oklahoma.

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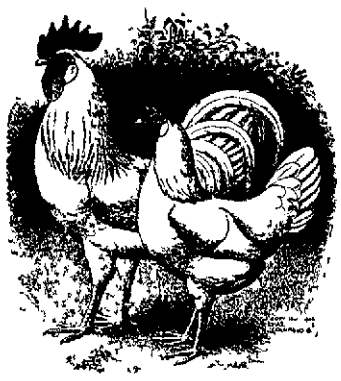

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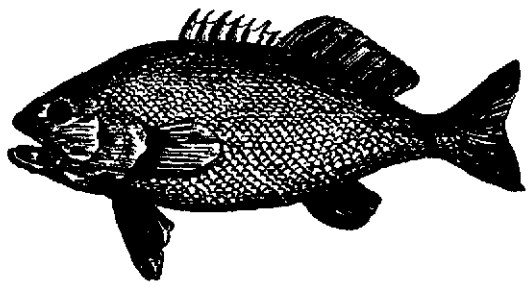

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Because of lack of time we can not here itemize the special bargains for next week, but our patrons may depend on getting the best in the grocery line for the least money.

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LOCAL NEWS

*Be up to date. Get a Big Ben at Herrick's.

S. Ross made a business trip to Bunnell last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierson of Daytona were the guests of friends in this city Sunday.

Clarence Gridley was a visitor in town Sunday. He has been employed in Palatka during the summer.

Mrs. John Day and daughter Miss Fannie of Lake Helen were the guests of friends in New Smyrna the first part of the week.

The regular meetings of the county school board and the board of county commissioners will be held in Deland next Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McAuley, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jernigan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Montaine made a trip to Daytona Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. M. Singleton and children returned to their home in Titusville Saturday after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Singleton's sister, Mrs. Seaver.

Mrs. H. L. Minton of Hastings, Fla., spent Sunday with friends in New Smyrna.

*Bring your watches, clocks and jewelry to Herrick to be fixed before the Christmas rush.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. F. Roper and Miss Cecelia Baldwin motored to Daytona last Saturday.

Otto Grosse, proprietor of the Magnolia grove at Cocoa, was a business visitor in New Smyrna Monday.

Tom Dougherty and wife returned to New Smyrna the last part of last week and are occupying their home on Orange street.

Mrs. W. H. Chesser has returned home from her visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in and around Birmingham, Alabama.

*Celery Plants For Sale—$1.50 per thousand. Special prices for larger quantities. Address F. F. DUTTON, Sanford, Florida. 22-2.

The recent cool weather and the rains of the past week have brought smiles to the faces of the citrus fruit growers and farmers in this vicinity.

The laying of a new sidewalk in front of the Bell property on Canal street has greatly improved the appearance of that particular part of the city.

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PHONE 30

We Keep the Quality Up

Judge Bert Fish of DeLand was in the city on business Wednesday.

W. M. Laws of Orange City was in town on business the first of the week.

J. C. McCullough has let the contract to have an addition built to his house on canal street.

Lee Waite returned Wednesday from Cincinnati and other points in Ohio, where he has been spending the summer.

Three horses, shipped from Paris and belonging to W. E. Connor, arrived in the city recently and will be used by the grove people as saddle horses.

John McCormick is having the first story of the McCullough house remodelled. Part of the front part will be used as a pool room and part of it as a small store.

Dr. Davis Forster of the Shelter sanitorium at Hawks Park was called to Sanford Wednesday to perform an operation on Mrs. E. E. Brady, wife of one of Sanford's prominent citizens.

Justice C. D. Abbott of Jacksonville, whose wife died suddenly last week Sunday, spent several days this week in New Smyrna visiting his brother George and other relatives and friends.

Miss Meryl Rhodes of Gloversville, N. Y., will arrive here in the near future to take the position of musical director for the Palace theater. Miss Rhodes is thoroughly experienced in this line.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lovejoy are expected to arrive in New Smyrna next week. They left Portland, Me., by auto for New York last Monday, expecting to sail from New York for Jacksonville today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Waldo Dunklee and daughters, Elizabeth and Emma, Mrs. E. W. Dunklee and Mrs. Mary A. Nutall arrived Monday from Rockport, Mass., and will remain through the winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Latham will begin moving this week from the apartments they have been occupying over the Fidelity bank to the new home just built for them by T. L. Howell adjoining the latter's home on Live Oak street.

The annual Hallow'en party of the Ladies guild will be held in Dohn's hall tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. Dancing and games will be the attraction for the young people. The witches and elves will be roasted at 12 o'clock.

Send the News to your friends.

RAILROAD RATES ARE HIGHER TO THE SOUTH THAN TO WEST

WISCONSIN MAN DIGS UP IMPORTANT FACTS CONCERNING EXPENSE OF MOVING DOWN TO THIS STATE.

A. E. Shower, a newspaper man, connected with the Wisconsin State Journal, at Madison, Wis., contemplated moving to Clearwater and investigating rates on household goods from Madison to Tampa and Clearwater he finds that for the same money he can send goods twice as far west as he can south. In a letter he gives comparisons on rates. The letter, in part, follows:

"I wanted to go south this fall, taking my family and a large part of my household goods. Now, one may go west from Madison an equal distance that it is from here to Tampa or Clearwater for about one-half the cost. The Illinois Central road—the most direct route—asks me $189 for a car. Then I cannot take any live stock in it without an additional cost of six cents per hundred on everything in the car. An attendant cannot go with the car unless he pays full fare, and under no circumstances will they permit any one to take chickens in the car. Going west this is altogether different. Now I am told the reason for this high rate is because the southern roads will not co-operate as western roads do with those of the central states. Whether this is true or not, I do not know.

"The rate on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road is somewhat less, I think about $125, but no stock can be taken, as in the case with the Illinois Central.

"The south, I understand, wants settlers. Why can't the railroads meet the settler half way at least and not try to seemingly rob him before he lands in a strange country?

"As I said, I want to go south but don't see how I can stand the rates. It is my plan to go into fruit and poultry business and have raised quite a block of chickens, thinking of course, I could get them there without being held up.

"I don't know that you can do anything in regard to this, but if you don't know the conditions, it is well for you to have the facts and perhaps some avenue may open for you to help in some way."

Manager Montague has booked "The Pilgrim Girls" for the Palace theater early next month. The women will present a high class musical program, similar to that given by the University Girls last season.

H. M. Tate has returned to New Smyrna from Alabama, where he spent the greater part of the summer. Part of the time he spent at his home in Montgomery and part of the time at Camp Pierce with the state rifle club, of which he is a member.

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FIRE

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A Canal street lot in Inwood.
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See M. LEIDERSDORF.

Plans are well under way for the entertainment of the Florida Educational association which meets in Key West, December 30th for a three days' session.

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Read the New Smyrna News.

PULPIT TOPICS

Episcopal Church—

The 24th Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school at the Grace Episcopal church. Subject of lesson: "The Preparation for the Ministry of our Lord." Everybody welcome.

M. E. Church, South—

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Lesson topic: "Balak and Balaam." Scripture: Numbers 22, 1-19. G. L. Branning, superintendent, E. L. Greer, vice superintendent. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m. Strangers and visitors cordially invited to all the services of the church.

W. A. FISCHER, Pastor.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Daytona Beach

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

DAYTONA BEACH, Oct. 28. —Manager J. P. Glenn, of the Seaside Inn, and bride, arrived this week from Kentucky, and Mr. Glenn and associate manager, W. D. Hill, who came in with the party, will be quite busy having the hotel put in order for the opening.

Silas P. Hubbell, large property owner, arived this week from New York and is at the Breakers.

Miss Ruth Coates arrived here Tuesday from New York City and points east, after a pleasant vacation trip, and rejoined the Coates' family circle at the Coates' home on Seabreeze avenue. Miss Coates spent most of the time with relatives at Littleton, Mass., visiting Boston later on and enjoyed the change immensely, but was glad to get back to the Sunny South, as were her friends to have her return.

Artist Fluhart was over from Holly Hill Tuesday, calling on friends.

The Oyama had a big bunch of people from the interior Sunday, four automobile parties, which came over from Orlando. The following party from Kissimmee registered for the day: Robt. B. Smith, Ed C. Roberts, O. Cimen and C. D. Cain. The more the inland towns folks get the Seabreeze-Daytona Beach habit, the better we are pleased.

I. M. Jackson and wife of Apopka motored over from their town with two car loads of friends and spent the week's end at the Buckeye cotage on Ocean avenue. The Buckeye cotage is owned by Mr. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Neald, fo Cedar Rapids, Iowa, arived this week, and are located for the season on the first floor flat of Miss Shepherd's apartment house on North Atlantic Avenue.

Ben Richards, of Jacksonville, who is very popular with the Daytona Beach society set, is spending a few days in the burg, guest at the Daytona Beach hotel.

Major Ed Rector, who was with the Bunch grocery for a number of seasons is now with their successors, the Towne grocery, which helps it to retain its homelike appearance.

Mrs. Dryer's friends will regret to learn that she is suffering from a severe attack of tosilitis, which may necessitate her removal to a hospital for treatment.

Lucas, the Land Man, has opened a real estate office on Seabreeze avenue, in the Van Vazah bock, which to arrive from their home town, Wauford, of Cocoa. Mr. Wadford is a man of family but will leave his wife and children at Cocoa for the present. He has taken a room at Ocean Spray.

Dr. Jackson and family, of Lakeland who were occupying the Rhode Island cottage on the beach, left Tuesday on their return home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pollard, who has been away since June, spending the summer in Hendersonville and Asheville, N. C., are expected to reach here Wednesday and will again occupy their beach cottage.

E. A. Branch has leased the Rhode Island cottage for the winter to the Misses Tichenor, who regularly spend their winters here. They are expected to arrivef rom their home town, Waukesha, Wis., this week or early in the next.

Mr and Mrs. U. Hambrick arrived Monday from Kentucky, and are pleasantly domiciled in their comfortable new bungalow on Hollywood avenue.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Beach returned Friday from Clark Lake, Mich., and joined their son at their winter home on Hollywood avenue

Mr. and Mrs. Vining, who were at the beach for a time, have leased for the season and are now occupying the Atlantic beach cottage. Mrs. Vining is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beach.

Sidewalks are being laid on Live Oak street in front of the Keenan block, which will improve the appearance and approach of the three or four cottages Mr. Keenan has erected for let on that street in the same block with his new business house, on Seabreeze avenue.

Captain and Mrs. Henry, who are cruising in their boat, Wenona, and tied up at the Phillips' for a few days, left Monday for St. Augustine, their home town.

C P. Preston, of Indianapolis, Ind, has purchased of C. L. Horn, his cottage on Orange street, and is now in possession.

Mrs. E. A. Freman left Tuesday for Enterprise for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon.

Stephen S. Smith and son-in-law, Fred Allen, had a pleasant automobile trip to Narcoosa last week. They spent several hours with Rev W. L. Barze and wife at Winter Park on their return, and altogether enjoyed the outing, which was made in Mr. Smith's car, very much.

Mrs. Minnie Barnes is expected home this week from Grand Lodge, Mich., where she has been with Mr. and Mrs. Sheets for a couple of months The last news from Mr. Sheets is that he is improving and his doctor says he may enjoy his Thanksgiving dinner in Florida.

A. S. Randall has leased the Freeman cottage on Peninsula drive for the year, and will occupy it November 1st. The family has been on the beach in one of the Stewart cottages all summer.

J. L. Reed and daughter, Miss Marguerite and son, Joe R., are now pleasantly domiciled in the lower flat of the Branch apartment house on Coates street.

Mr. Washer, wife and two children arrived Monday from Pittsburg, Pa., and are gnests at Pinehurst.

Dr. and Mrs. John F. Morrisey will arrive today from Brooklyn, N. Y., to occupy their winter home on Peninsula drive.

W. E. Strawn was in Jacksonville a few days last week, while his father looked after his building contracts here. On his return Saturday, he was accompanied by his brother, James Strawn, who will assist him while the rush is on.

W. C. Jones of Georgia, formerly with Baker & Lanier, Daytona, has accepted a position at the Daytona Beach pharmacy.

The White House, Mrs. W. F. Ayres, entertained a few specials at Sunday dinner in company with the regular guests and the week-end transients, and a most tempting menu was served. After dinner Mr. Ayres invited the entire party to a boat ride on the Halifax on his dandy boat, L. Ayre, which is now in commission for the winter. The afternoon was perfectly ideal for a water trip, and the congenial company made the most of the pleasures of the passing hours. On their return to the Phillips' dock they were invited to adjourn to the Wenona, Captain Henry's boat, where they enjoyed some splendid music on the captain's fine cabinet phonograph, and were shown through their beautifully arranged and furnished houseboat by Mrs. Henry. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. A. Ayres, who arrived the night before, Mr. Clement and daughter, Miss Bell, Mrs. Selby, Clayton Codrington, Mrs. Strieff, Miss Towne, Mr. Enders, Mrs. Bernard and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ayres.

Kingston

KINGSTON, Oct. 92. — The Stubenbord family have come down from their Coney Island home, and are domiciled in their elegant winter residence on the corner of Ridgewood avenue and North street, Kingston.

W. E. Strawn has taken the Smiley house on North Ridgewood avenue for the winter, and W. L. Strawn has moved into the south Cowan cottage. They are from Seabreeze.

E. M. Rich returned from Virginia Saturday evening of last week, leaving his wife with her mother for a while yet.

W. D. McCullough came in from East Palatka with his family on Monday, the 27th and occupies the Decker home on North Ridgewood avenue.

Mrs. Grace Bridier came on a visit to her mether, Mrs. Rich, on Saturday last, and returned home to St. Augustine on Monday.

T. M. McKenzie, who has been at the Ferndale for several months, left for Sanford on Tuesday of this week.

Latest arrivals are Tom Mason, of Hendersonville, N. C., and Oscar Markham, of Homeland, Ga.

Oscar Peterson, who has been for a long time guest of Ferndale, left on Sunday, 26th, for Miami where he has employment at the carpenters trade for sometime.

Church 900 Years Old.

The nine-hundredth anniversary of the oak-walled parish church of Greenstead, near Ongar, Essex, England, has just been celebrated. The church, which is built of split oak trees, is the only one of its kind in the country, and bids fair to last another 900 years.

Seabreeze

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, Oct. 29, — Real estate is beginning to show some movement, although the buyers are nearly all home people. Among the transfers made last week the following are noted: Luther Willin, A. Vande Vorde and V. C. Grant have purchased adjoining lots on Earl and Wild Olive, of C. L. Harvey, and U. S. Shelly and I. W. Ramsy have purchased a couple of lots of the Dougherty estate on Granlview avenue, between Earl and Duke streets.

W. V. Wagnon has purchased a lot on Palmetto avenue near Earl street and will erect a seven room house for himself and family. A. VandeVorde is putting in the foundation this week.

Testing Petroleum Road Oil —

The town is this week making an experiment with petroleum road oil on a stretch of three hundred feet of road on North Halifax avenue, running south from the corner of Ora boulevard, in front of J. E. Thompson and L. Z. Burdick's residence property. The proposition was made by Mr. Thompson to furnish the oil provided the town would get the ground ready by rolling in a fresh dressing of marl, which was done last week. Monday morning three barrels of road oil was poured on in buckets and scrub brushes used to mix it in. The oil is said to be quite inexpensive, and is used with good effect on clay soils. Its welding qualities are yet to be tested out on our sandy soil. The water problem is not the only problem the town will have to solve within the next year or two. Where good material for street building is to come from now that the town is prohibited from dredging shell from the Halifax river is even now a vexing question to the town fathers. The marl that is being placed on the streets for want of better material, is a poor substitute for river shell.

Home Comers —

Henry W. Haynes and bride arrived Tuesday evening from Cheshire, Mass., and are with Mrs. A. W. Powers at her beautiful home on Glenview avenue for a time. In the meantime Mr. Haynes has attacked the accumulation of business that has been piling up for him at this end of the line all summer with characteristic vim and good will and things are moving around lively at the Princess Issena, Practically, the big addition is finished. The new furniture for it, every piece of which is solid mahogony, is arriving daily. A big water system, the Kewanee, is being installed. The dining room has been enlarged to a seating capacity of 150, and the fire-proof kitchen includes all the up-to-date modern conveniences in the culinary line.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson arrived the latter part of last week as anticipated. They had a delightful summer on the Pacific coast and in New York City with their daughter, Mrs. Saddler and household.

Col. and Mrs. T. F. Cordis came in the first of the week. They made the trip from New York City by Clyde line, Mohawk. From Jacksonville Mrs. Cordis and household attendants came by train. Col. Cordis motored down with his chaffeur in his car. Mr. and Mrs. Cordis spent the summer at their home in Long Meadow, Mass., as usual.

Mr and Mrs. J. M. Rogers arrived Tuesday from Chicago, Ill. They spent the summer as usual at their summer resort home in Traverse City, Mich., on the lakes.

R. E. Olds, who is coming down to accept the contract of his new home from Contractor Espedahl, is expected any day this week. The little home which he built, with all modern conveniences for his father and mother, seven or eight years ago, has been remodeled into a handsome home, the first story of which is veneered with coquina rock. The abundance of porch room, and the dissimilarity in style of architecture from the usual run of bungalows and two story building are attractive features in its favor.

Mrs. Geo. W. Buckner arrived last week from Indianapolis, Ind., where she was visiting her daughter all summer, and rejoined Mr. Buckner at Cosy cottage on the beach. Mrs. Buckner found her daughter in bad health; this, and one or two falls she had, made the summer very trying to Mrs. Buckner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Whitsett came over from Eustis Sunday and are at the Whitsett cottage for a couple of weeks. They expect Mr. and Mrs. E. Kipp and son, Lenwood, to get in from New York Friday and join them for a visit on the beach before they settle down for the winter in Daytona. Mrs. Kipp left her brother, Ernest Whitsettt, in Pennsylvania, visiting relatives.

J. J. Bishop is having his residence property on Live Oak street improved by laying a sidewalk in front, which extends along Mrs. Katherine Bunch's adjoining lot on the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins of Winnipeg, Canada, are occupying the Livingston beach cottage with their interesting family of children.

Messrs. Alfred Foster and George Fernald of Sanford were over from the interior last Sunday and while in the burg had a pleasant visit with Mrs. De Vere Howard on North Halifax avenue.

Mrs. Mathas returned last week from a visit with her mother at Tuscola, Ill., and joined her family at their home on North Halifax avenue for the winter.

Mrs. Baldwin's little cottage on North Halifax avenue has been again leased to Mr. and Mrs. Edison, of Elmira. N. Y., who arrived this week and are now comfortably domiciled for the winter.

Mrs. Allen is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. Browning, and her two interesting children, who came over from East Palatka a few days since. Ray Griggs also is at home with his mother at present.

Mr. Griffin, who recently purchased the Glenwood hotel, is down from Jacksonville looking after his property this week.

Mrs. J. B. Abercromble has had cement sidewalk in front of her lot on Grandview avenue.

A. F. Hall, who is building a home for himself and family on an eight acre truck farm on the outskirts of Holly Hill. His brother, who arrived from Fredonia, N. Y., recently, will cultivate the farm this season, while Mr. Hall will remain at the Carrier place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stengle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stengle and Miss Stengle arrived Sunday from Baltimore, Md., and are geting ready to open their hotel, the Geneva, on Ocean boulevard. Mr. and Mrs. Stengle had quite a prosperous season at their summer hotel at Thousand Island Park, which closed a month ago, and now after a short rest are ready for the winter business.

Miss Maud Webster has leased the Gilmore house on North Halifax avenue, and will conduct it as a boarding house. She will be assisted by her mother, Mrs. Dorn.

Mrs. Mary Baker celebrated her birthday anniversary last Sunday at the Russell farm with a pleasant gathering of relatives.

Miss Ott was sufficiently improved Monday to be removed to her home on North Halifax avenue. She has a capable colored attendant with her, and her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Baker and Miss Thompson, a party from Elmira, N. Y., have taken apartments at the Elmira cottage for the season.

A Daytona item of great interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baggett at Seabreeze was the arrival last Saturday morning of a nine pound boy at their pretty home on Fairview avenue, Daytona. Showers of good wishes and congratulations were sent from across the Halifax to the happy parents.

The Seabreeze postoffice building is putting on airs with a fresh dress of green and white paint. The artistic touches were laid on by acting postmaster, Mr. Riverburg, and the tonsorial artist, S. E. Morris.

FAMILY MOTORED FROM CHICAGO TO SEABREEZE

John Armstrong, wife and two sons, Oswald and William, and Mr. Armstrong's brother, James Armstrong, have just completed a long automobile tour, from Chicago, Ill., to Seabreeze, where Mr. Armstrong owns a winter home. They stopped over at Mammoth Cave, Ky., on the way south and report the roads to be in good condition. James Armstrong will return north in a cople of weeks time, but John Armstrong and family will remain here for the season. Messrs. Armstrong are members of the Armstrong Tool company of Chicago.

Left-Handed Stone Slingers.

The right hand doubtless owes something of its pre-eminence to the Bible. The Hebrews singled it out for special honor, and the Scriptures contain quite a hundred references in which "the right hand" is made the type and symbol of everything noble, praiseworthy and desirable. It is worth noting, however, that the tribe of Benjamin once boasted 700 left-handed slingers who "could sling stones to a hair's breadth and not miss," and that among the "mighty men and helpers" of King David were many who "could use both the right hand and the left in hurling stones and shooting arrows with the bow."

Slander.

When the tongue of slander stings thee let this be thy comfort: They are not the worst fruits on which the wasps alight.—Gottfried Burger.

Port Orange

MRS. J. L. PATTILLO, Correspondent

PORT ORANGE, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Harwell, of Atlanta, Ga., is a guest of the Tribble.

Fielder Wilson, from Wisconsin, arrived Sunday night and is stopping at the Tribble for the season.

Dr. R. L. Reed, of Joliet, Ill., arrived last week and is located in his winter home on the river shore. Miss Reed will be down a little later.

Moses Hunt and family, of Bellmore, L. I., arrived Saturday of last week and are located in their winter home on the peninsula.

Mrs. W. C. Howes returned home Saturday from Dennis, Mass., where she spent the summer with relatives and friends.

Capt. C. F. Dunderdale has returned to his former home at Fulford for the purpose of bringing up his launch to be used here this winter.

Capt. D. E. Lyon is again able to get out on the streets after a ten-days illness.

We regret to chronicle the illness of Miss Jessie Dupont, who has been quite sick for the past ten days.

Hon, H. B. Smith was able to go fishing on the bridge last week and landed the largest sheepshead caught during the day.

Mrs. M. A. Briggs, who has spent the summer with her father in Pennsylvania, is expected to reach home about Saturday of next week.

Miss Annie George, who was here for a number of winters with the late Mrs. Mary E. Meeker, has recently been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Roelker in New York City.

The town council has been having weekly meetings during the present month in order to complete the tax books and look after other urgent matters.

C. J. Vass has been appointed by the mayor to fill out the unexpired term of I. J. Wells, Jr., who recently resigned the office of tax collector and marshal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nolan, who have occupied the Smith cottage during the summer, have taken rooms with Miss Caroline McDonald for the winter.

Mr. Yelvington and family, of Yelvington, Fla., have been spending several days with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yelvington.

John Tedder is driving a new flow well for Mrs. Sarah Montague at her home at the north end of town.

C. L. Burgess, of Woodhull, Ill., has rented the Lyon cotage on North Ridgewood avnue and he and his wife will reach here about the 7th of November.

The young people of Prof. Bayless' room in the public school, have organized a literary society which holds its regular meetings on Friday afternoons. The public will not be admitted to the exercises until the fall term of school.

Seven new pupils were enrolled in the public school on Monday morning, and several more are yet to enter.

Mrs. Rubie Robbles, of Tampa, has recently been the guest of her uncle, A. J. Dugger. Mrs. Robbles left Sunday for Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. J. B. Meriweather, of Fort Pierce, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Tedder. Mrs. Meriweather has with her Miss Alma Lane, a charming young lady, also of Fort Pierce.

A recent letter from Capt. Charles Fozzard advises that he and Mrs. Fozzard are debating between spending the winter in San Diego and coming to Port Orange. They are at present occupying apartments with Mr. and Mrs. Chas Reifsnider, in Los Angeles. Mrs. Brohm and Miss Ruth are also with the Reifsniders.

The latest reports are that Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and daughter, Miss Gowdy, all of Long Island, will not spend the winter here as they formerly planned to do, owing to some business matters developing that will keep them in the north this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilmarth are expecting to arrive early next week; Dr. and Mrs. Kessler about the same time, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haff about a week later.

There were no services held at the Methodist church last Sunday morning, the pastor having been detained at Kingston in revival services there. The usual song and prayer service was held Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary A. K. Davis is to arrive on Saturday of this week; her grandson, David Stebbleton, who has been spending the winters here with his grandmother, is in school this winter and will not come down. A sister of Mrs. Davis, Mrs Jay, who has spent several winters here formerly, will be with Mrs. Davis this winter.

Mrs. J. L. Pattillo, the assistant postmaster here, will take charge of the office again next Monday morning after having enjoyed a rest of four months

A. H. Tedder has rented a room from C. J. Vass and opened a barber shop for the season, but has recently leased same to B. A. Anderson, of Ohio who will reach here next week and take charge.

J. H. Carow has his teams busy hauling lumber and other building material to Wilbur-by-the-Sea for Wm. Eaton, who has the contract to build three cottages which are to be ready for occupancy before the middle of December.

Work on the hotel and the many other improvements at Allandale is going forward with renewed activity as the winter season approaches. With the present prospects of success great things are expected in the way of development at this point within the next year. With its natural beauty and one of the most perfect locations on the East Coast there is no reason why Allandale should not see at least a hundred new homes inside of two years.

Light on the Spot.

An attachment has been made to the revolver by a French inventor by which the weapon in the hands of a greenhorn is as deadly as in those of a dead-sure shot. A small and powerful electric lamp is mounted on the weapon in such a manner that a circle of light is projected upon the target and the bullet will strike the center of the ring. This particular location is marked by a dark spot, and this spot being placed over the heart of an adversary and the trigger pulled the bullet cannot fail in its deadly work.

Was It a Hint?

They had been talking as they walked. She had remarked pathetically: "Oh, it must be terrible to a man to be rejected by a woman!" "Indeed it must," was his response. Then, after a while, with sympathetic ingenuousness, she exclaimed: "It doesn't seem that I could ever have the heart to do it." And there came a silence between them as he thought it over.

Good Rule.

I try to make my enmities transient and my friend[illegible] eternal.—Cicero.

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By ALLAN G. LAMOND

While scanning a newspaper for the purpose of passing the time my eyes lighted on the following advertisement:

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I cut the ad. out of the newspaper and put it in my pocketbook About once an hour I read it over. I wondered if Mme. Durant could help me. I wanted some one to go to Delia and show her how unreasonable she had been. At last I started for the address given, with no definite purpose.

I expected to find Mme. Durant in a dingy apartment, with worn furniture and not overcleanly. Madame herself would doubtless be either French, Italian, Spanish or of some other superstitious race and rely chiefly for her fees upon any or all of these peoples She would be of tawny complexion, hair like an Indian and eyes piercing black.

She was nothing of the kind. I rang the doorbell of a neat little house, and a tidy young woman answered the summons. She was Mme. Durant, only she was an American and Durant was not her name. She had adopted it because she considered it more attractive than her own. Ida Smith She invited me into a neatly furnished living room, and after hemming and hawing and stammering I finally got out what I wanted to tell her about my difficulty with Delia and asked if she would engage to bring the young lady to her senses.

She said that from what I had told her she judged Delia to be entirely in the wrong, while the position I had taken was unimpeachable. She would engage to settle the matter between us for $100, half of which was to be paid in advance and the other half after the reconciliation. If there was no reconciliation I was not to pay the remainder of the fee. She was to make the acquaintance of my ex-fiancee, and without letting her know her mission gain her confidence and convince her that she owed me a humble apology.

This was a heads I win, tails you lose in favor of Miss Smith. But she seemed very confident of being able to bring Delia and me together and had an honest countenance. This and my desire for a "makeup" decided me, and drawing a check for $50 I gave it to her. I sat some time after this listening to the cures she had effected. She had brought together a father and a daughter, the latter having been turned out of doors for marrying a man the father did not like. She had reunited no end of divorced couples and parted lovers. She did it all on a principle which could be stated in three words When I asked her to give me these words she laughed and said, "Should I do so you would expect me to hand you back the retaining fee you have given me, and there would be no reconciliation."

I heard from Mme Durant, or Miss Smith, as I prefer to call her, within two days During this time she had managed to make Delia's acquaintance and learned about our separation. The following was the letter I received from the woman I had hired to convince Delia that she had ill treated me:

Dear Sir—I suppose you were giving me a correct version of the disagreement between you and your fiancee. I am convinced from what Miss Douglas has told me that you are entirely unworthy of so estimable a young lady. I return your check, since I find that the conditions under which I accepted it are entirely at variance with the facts. Yours truly,
MME. DURANT.

P. S.—Should you desire any further information in the matter you are at liberty to call at my house, and I will give it to you

Astonished, chagrined, mortified, I began to consider what I had done to bring about such a result. I spent a week thinking upon my own share in the quarrel. At the end of that time I had made up my mind that I was as much to blame as Delia. Then it occurred to me that if I was as much to blame as she the fault was all mine, for a man should have more control over himself than a woman whose nature is supposed to be more volatile.

I could not doubt Miss Smith's sincerity, for she had returned my fee and had no interest in deceiving me. I went to see her and had a talk with her, but gained no information. I confessed the result of my deliberations and told her I preferred that she should be paid for her trouble. So I handed her the check she had returned to me. Before accepting it she asked me what I was going to do. I told her I would go to Delia and take all the blame for our disagreement.

As soon as I said this Miss Smith put the check in her portmanteau and, taking a note from a desk, handed it to me I immediately recognized Delia's handwriting. It read:

Dearest George—Miss Smith has convinced me that it was all my fault. Forgive me. Your loving DELIA.

I looked up at Miss Smith and saw her smiling at me. I sat thinking for a few moments, during which an understanding of her adroitness found its way into my stupid brain.

"I think I can tell you," I said to her, "what is the principle on which you work. It is contained in three words. It is 'Look within yourself.'"

"You have hit it exactly," was her reply.

"And now"—I continued taking out of my pocket my check book—"it is time to pay you the balance of your fee," and I wrote a check for double the amount.

Then I went posthaste to Delia.

COUNTY SEAT DEPARTMENT

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS ALL OVER VOLUSIA COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT.

During the past week the following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, the transfers being reported especially for this paper by the Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds —

Jacob W Wilbur and Addie V Wilbur to Wilbur F Cobb, lot 1, plat 1, Wilbur-by-th-Sea, being part sec 12, twp 16, R 33.

Elijah Williams and Ruby Williams to A. C. Haynes, lot 2, blk 3, Waltz 2 add to DeLand.

Henrietta Straub to F N Conrad and Cornelius Christiancy, lot 1, Assessor's plat of lot 1, sec 9, twp 16, R 33 E.

Charles A Ballough and Mabel G Ballough to E A Lapp, part of lot 5, blk 3, Rogers sub of part of lot 5, blk 2, Coleman's Daytona.

Rufus Manns and Eugene Manns to James Williams, lot 16, sub of lot 1 and 2, blk 55, Mason & Colemans add to Daytona.

M A Sawyer to Henry Wilson, lot 5, blk 2, sub within Town of Ormond, known as Beldens resurvey of Melrose.

A H Hutchinson and Carrie L Hutchinson to J M Templin, S 6 chs of NE ¼ of NE¼ of SE¼ and NW¼ of NE ¼ of SE¼ of sec 14, twp 17, R 30.

Charles A Ballough and Mabel G. Ballough to W A Baggett, lot 5, sub of Joe Ross homestead in Holly Hill.

J S Dreggers and Renna Dreggers to J O Lucius, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, and 14, City blk 6, Spring Garden City.

Edwin G Baldwin and Elizabeth R Baldwin to Clifford Botts, W½ of blk 88, DeLand.

Geo T Self and Frances H Self to E J Mays, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, blk B, Bleck's sub City of DeLand.

John A Cuthbert and Hattie Cuthbert to Rosa Collins, a parcel of land in Green's add to Daytona which is a sub of lots 11, 12, and 13, blk 53.

Hodges, O'Hara & Russell company to Letta Rice Clark, tract 10, blk 2, in SW¼ of NW ¼ sec 17, twp 19, R 33.

V W Gould et al to Augustus M Cooper et al, E½ of SW¼ of NW¼ of SE¼ sec 8, twp 17, R 30. 7

Emma C Kingston and George W Kingston to Frank C Randall et al, S 25 ft of W 100 ft of N 300 ft, blk 59A, City of Daytona.

Don A Buss to Edna M Reeve and Sara E Reeve, commencing at a point 8 rods south and 1 rod east of the NW cor of blk 159 in the precinct of Lake Helen, running thence south 6 rods, thence east 39 rods to the east side of said block, thence north 6 rods thence west to the place of beginning.

Nathan E Roberts and Ophilia Roberts to James C Reed, NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec 16, Tp. 13, R 30—40 acres.

Emily D Day to Harwood Huntington, lots 7, 8, and 13, sub of Ormond.

Anna M. Hubbard to Emily D Day, lot 7, plated sub of Ormond, known as Worthy & Hubbard sub.

George M Houston and Agnes G Houston to Max Kahn, tracts 88 and 95, Houston sub in sec 7, twp 13, R 32, together with the following lots: lot 5 in blk 5, lot 7, blk 10; lot, 8 ,blk 6, Townsite of Pelican.

Hodges, O'Hara & Russell company to Ada Dennison, tract 5, blk 3, being located in NW¼ of SW¼ of sec 7, twp 19, R 33.

Jake Allman and Carry Allman to Jasper J Allman, N 5 chs and 38 lks of S 10 chs and 40 lks of E 6 chs and 57 lks of frac NW¼ of sec 18, twp 19, R 32.

Luther Willin and Bertha M Willin et al to Pearl E Shamburger, E 100 ft lot 13, blk 15, sub of portion lot 1, sec 4, twp 15, R 33, Daytona Beach.

Quitclaim Deeds —

E H Armstrong and Irene Armstrong to W J Braddock, lots 12, 13 and S½ of lot 14, blk 4, Brush & Stewart's Seabreeze.

William B Nelson et al, to M A Sawyer, lot 5, blk 2, sub of Ormond known as Belden's resurvey of Melrose.

Carrie L Hutchinson and A H Hutchinson to the Ellsworth Trust company, NE¼ of NW¼ of sec 36, twp 19, R 33.

Articles of Agreement —

George Boynton and Amelia Boynton to W K Rose, lots 11 and 13, blk 4, Waits' sec add to DeLand.

George Watson to Almira Watson, E 18 ft of lot 11, all lot 12 and W 22 ft lot 13, all blk 1, Mayo's sub of river lot 6, Ormond.

J S Duss Jr. to Will Dickson, lot 13, blk 9, Iawood sub of New Smyrna.

The rope making industry from sisal hemp at St. James City, in Lee county, is proving quite a success.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses —

Thos. J. Gilfillon and Lou Emma Gregory.

J. S. Wright and Anna Belle Thomas both of New Smyrna.

G. Davis Hart and Gertrude C. Keely, both of DeLand.

C. Applegate and Mrs. S. S. Jones.

Probate Proceedings —

Application filed for letters of guardainship in the matter of J. D. Gardner Marguerite Gardner, Martha Gardner and William Gregg Gardner, minor children of J. H. Gardner and Sarafina Gardner, both deceased, of Daytona.

Last will and testament of Eliza Terry, colored, of Daytona, has been filed for record.

Court Orders —

D. H .McMillan vs. Fidelity Bank of New Smyrna, order for injunction on filing bond.

Annie Belle Thomas vs Jesse Thomas decree of divorce.

George E. Spear vs. G. P. Nansworthy, order of reference.

Common Law Suits —

D. H. McMillan vs. State Bank of New Smyrna, assumpsit.

J. S. Ditson vs. Phoenix Assurance Company, assumpsit.

Wilson & Toomer Co. vs. A. W. Brown, assumpsit.

Chancery Suits —

Peoples State Bank of Daytona vs. J. N. Randar, foreclosure.

Elizabeth Hall vs. Henry Hall, divorce.

TWO HURT WHEN AUTO TURNS TURTLE ON DELAND STREET

ONE RENDERED UNCONSCIOUS WHEN CAR FALLS ON HIM — NEITHER SERIOUSLY INJURED IN THE MISHAP.

DeLAND, Oct. 28. — While E. C. Grosskopie, who is employed with the Bracy Drug Co., accompanied by Hugo Lanuette, was driving out the Boulevard in a light runabout, in an attempt to turn the machine from the sandy roadside up onto the shell road, the car turned turtle, pinning Grosskopie beneath it, and throwing Lanulet for some distane. Grosskopie was unconscious for a short time, but came to as the car was lifted off from him. Though both the young men suffered rather painful injuries, neither was dangerously hurt, and both were able to report for duty the following morning. The machine was not being driven rapidly when the accident occurred, but the deep sand caught the front wheels just right to throw it overwhen they attempted to turn onto the road.

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Fear Trouble After Spilling Salt.

In many of the rural districts of Russia people when they spill salt not only toss a pinch over the left shoulder, but also crawl under the table and come out the other side, in order to avert ill-luck; while in New England, to break the evil spell of spilling salt, every particle is supposed to be collected and thrown on the stove to be consumed.

Superstitions Concerning Salt.

According to a popular Norwegian belief, one will shed as many tears as may suffice to dissolve the quantity of salt which one has spilled; while in some parts of Yorkshire it is often said that every grain of salt spilled on the table represents a tear to be shed.

Justifies Impatient Father.

Law Notes quotes the following from the opinion of Justice Riddell of the high court of justice, Ontario, in a habeas corpus case over the custody of a child: "And even if he did not wish his sleep to be broken by a crying infant, it is understood that this is not without precedent in the tenderest and most conscientious of fathers."

HEAVY SENTENCES IMPOSED BY JUDGE ON BOOZE SELLERS

RANKS OF ROAD GANGS AUGMENTED AND FINE AND FORFEITURE FUND GREATLY INCREASED.

DeLAND, Oct. 28 — For two weeks the wheels of justice have been grinding in the criminal court of Volusia county, with the result that the ranks of the road gangs have been augmented and the fine and forfiture fund has been increased. The case which attracted the most interest during the term was that of A. S. J. Marsh, who was tried upon the charge of "fraudulently branding a certain animal."

Albert Marsh is a member of one of the largest and most influential families engaged in the cattle business in this county, while Phil Leonardy, the chief prosecuting witness, is one of a family who are leaders of the cattle industry of the south end. The court room was crowded during the trial with friends of both factions, who watched the developments of the case with keen interest.

The defendant was charged with having branded a yearling heifer with his brand, which belonged to the Leonardy estate. Many witnesses were examined, and some of the leading attorneys of the state were retained by both the prosecution and defense. The arguments of counsel consumed a half day's time after the evidence was all in. The jury was out but a short time after the case was given them, when they returned a verdict of "Not guilty."

That justice is blind at times at least is illustrated by the case of L. E. Green, who was tried upon a charge of "obtaining money under false pretenses." The evidence showed that Green, who was a negro, purports to be a kind of a voodoo man of mystery, who works upon the credulity of his superstitious race, and waxes fat by vending certain charms and amulets. Among other things, he sold "lucky hands," said to be composed of brimstone and other mysterious powders, the possession of which are supposed to be immune from trouble, even though they commit crimes against the state. It is alleged that he became bold in his operations and demanded ten dollars from a woman for a "lucky hand," which he claimed had been ordered by her husband. She paid the money over to him, but upon finding that she had been imposed upon promptly had him arrested. The result of his trial would seem to prove some efficacy for his concoctions, for, though the evidence against him seemed to be convincing, and though he had neither witnesses or lawyer to defend him, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. Judge Fish criticised the jury in discharging them, and ordered the defendant held to answer the charge of perjury.

There were numerous liquor-selling cases before the court, the judge and the other county officers being determined to put an end to the blind tiger business in Volusia county.

Following is the docket of cases tried at this term, a number of others having been continued:

Thomas Suber, illegal sale of liquor, one hundred and fifty dollars and costs, or six months on the county roads.

Will Graham, cruelty to an animal, not guilty.

Joe Allen, illegal sale of liquor. Not guilty.

Moses Greer, robbery. Guilty. Three years in the state penitentiary.

Tom Cole, breaking and entering. Guilty. Eighteen months in the state reform school.

The following were tried for vagrancy and each found guilty and sentenced to a fine of fifteen dollars, or ninety days on the county roads: Jno. Gleason, William Hanlon, Frank Stewart, Arthur Wagner and Harry Feall.

Corinne Redd pleaded guilty to illegal sale of liquor and was sentenced to pay a fine of seventy-five dollars or serve four months in the county jail.

Jesse Rogers, illegal sale of liquor. Two hundred dollars and costs or five months on the county roads.

Ella Gillyard, assault with intent to commit murder. Found guilty and sentenced to a fine of two hundred dollars or nine months imprisonment.

Thelma Paterson, illegal sale of liquor. Not guilty.

Will Cook, illegal sale of liquor. Fine one hundred dolars or six months imprisonment.

Lilly May Major, illegal sale of liquor. Fifty dollars fine or thirty days' imprisonment.

Bill Williams, illegal sale of liquor. Fine, one hundred and fifty dolars, or six months on the county roads.

Stokes Sally, assault and battery. Five dollars and costs, or sixty days on the county roads.

Lige Williams, aggravated assault. Twelve months on county roads. Robert Brown, illegal sale of liquor. Two years in the penitentiary.

Waddie Wigfall, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars or six months on county roads.

Alec Johnson, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars, or six months on county roads.

Herbert Washington, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars or six months on county roads.

Waddie Houston, illegal sale of liquor. One hundred and fifty dollars, or six months on county roads.

Holly Williams, obtaining money under false pretenses. Acquitted.

Herbert Long, petit larceny. Six months on county roads.

Insidious Humor.

A budding author who was making excursions into humor sent a paragraph to the editor of a daily paper. Not finding it printed within a reasonable time or hearing from the editorial department he wrote about its welfare: "I sent you a joke about ten days ago. I have heard nothing respecting its safe receipt, and should be glad to hear whether you have seen it." The editor's reply was as follows: "Your joke arrived safely, but up to the present we have not seen it."

Little Hint.

A little girl came down to dessert at a dinner party and sat next to her mother. This lady was occupied in talking to her neighbors and omitted to give the child anything. After some time the little girl, unable to bear it any longer, with sobs rising in her throat, held up her plate and said: "Does anybody want a clean plate?"

Not Any Use There.

"There are some things," said the man with the high brow, "that money won't buy." "I s'pose there are," replied the other with the overlapping chin, "but there's no use tryin' to use 'em to get an extension of your credit."

Didn't Settle.

Fontaine Fox hurried in this morning and returned two cigarettes to us. He neglected, however, to return the match.—Chicago Post.

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NEW SMYRNA FLORIDA

RIPE FRUIT AND GOOD PRICES

Throughout the fruit belt there is evidently a greater degree of optimism than has ever been shown in times past, and everybody is expressing the belief that the season now opening will be the most successful from every point of view ever enjoyed by Florida growers.

Reports from all markets are that good prices are prevailing and indications are that as good or better prices will prevail later in the season.

Why?

Simply because the people of Florida have to a greater degree stopped the ruinous practice of rushing into the markets with green fruit, although a desperate fight has been necessary to make many of them realize the wisdom of this course.

Furthermore, grapefruit and oranges are now being picked and packed in a scientific manner, improvement being noted even the most backward growers.

As a result, Florida fruit, which is really of a better quality than that of California, is at last coming into its own and is invading the territory for years held fast by the Golden Gate state with its better method of handling the fruit from the groves to the tables of the consumers.

Florida growers have lost millions and millions of dollars through failure to co-operate and adopt the best methods of handling and the Metropolis hopes the day is not far distant when there will not be the slightest evedence of discord among the growers of the eastern central and Gulf coast counties.

We unity in all other industries as well as that of fruit growing.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

Few See Things as They Are.

The mass of mankind will never have any ardent zeal for seeing things as they are; very inadequate ideas will always satisfy them. On these inadequate ideas will always repose, and must repose, the general practice of the world. That is as much as saying that whoever sets himself to see things as they are will find himself one of a very small circle; but it is only by this small circle resolutely doing its own work that adequate ideas will ever get current at all.—Matthew Arnold.

In a Pinch.

The old fashioned idea of a good pinch hitter was a man who could clean up a cotton patch with a weeding hoe before the rain came.—Dallas News.

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LOCAL NEWS

*Step lively, let Herrick fix it.

Charles Furen and daughter were in Daytona Monday.

Marshal J T Brooke made a business trip to the county seat last Saturday

J E Osteen and family of Oak Hill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooke Sunday.

Mrs Ruben Copeland and two children spent Sunday in Titusville as the guests of friends.

The general appearance of Palmetto street is being improved by the trimming of the trees.

H. S. Walker and family have returned from their trip to North Carolina points.

Mrs. Margaret Knapp, who is very sick in Klock's sanitorium at Daytona, is still very low.

Mrs. A. E Knapp is improving nicely in a hospital at Daytona and hopes soon to be home.

Mrs. Charles Clark and family moved to Cocoa the first part of this week Mrs Clark will conduct a store in that city.

George F Clarke and wife arrived the first of the week from Maine and will remain in New Smyrna through the winter season.

E. L. Greer recently returned from the sanitorium at Hawks Park and has resumed his place in the New Smyrna grocery store. Mr. Greer is still weak from his recent illness, but is recovering nicely now.

Read the New Smyrna News.

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LOCAL FARMERS ARE GROWING CROPS FOR MID-WINTER FAIR

NEW SMYRNA TO HAVE GOOD EXHIBIT AT THE EXPOSITION TO BE GIVEN IN ORLANDO NEXT FEBRUARY.

New Smyrna and vicinity will be well represented at the big mid-winter fair and exposition to be held in Orlando next February, if present indications are to be considered, and it is believed this section will make as good a showing with exhibits as any part of Volusia county.

The plan is to make the mid-winter exposition representative of the five counties adjoining Orange county and the Volusia county commissioners recently appropriated the sum of $300 to defray the expense of having an exhibit from this county.

The matter of preparing the exhibit was originally placed in the hands of the joint advertising committee of the DeLand, Daytona and New Smyrna boards of trade, but later the county commissioners arranged with one man to take charge of the matter of preparing and arranging the exhibit.

In order to have New Smyrna make a good showing Messrs. Roper, Arnold and Allen were appointed as a committee of members of the local board of trade at a recent meeting to see to the matter of preparing an exhibit from this section, and these men have already arranged for some special crops to be planted, cultivated and harvested for the express purpose of exhibition.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR SCHOOL DESERVED LARGER AUDIENCE

Editor New Smyrna News:

Among the few people who attended the home talent entertainment for the benefit of the public school reference library given in the theatre last Saturday night, I was one of those present and enjoyed the program, but could not help but be annoyed by the constant thought that the audience should have been much larger than it was.

The public school is one thing in which every citizen, whether he has children in school or not, should be interested and an entertainment given for the cause for which the one last Saturday night was given should be attended by every person in town, from patriotic motives if for no other reason.

The New Smyrna public school is not what it should be, at least it has not been in the past, and the only way in which it can be built up to the standard all would like to see it come is by all the parents and citizens taking enough interest in the matter to do every thing possible in the way of helping. The opportunity to patronize the entertainment given last week gave everybody a chance to help to that extent, and the presence of a larger audience would have given more encouragement to the public school teachers and the pupils by giving them to understand that the citizens of the town are interested in the school work.

If you will permit me the space, I would like to express the opinion that if there were more women in this town with the same spirit of self sacrifice, unselfishness and energy displayed by Mrs. Hofreiter, New Smyrna would have a reputation all over this state because of the excellence of her public schools. With nothing to gain in a personal way, but with the interests of the public school always in view, Mrs. Hofreiter deserves the commendation of every citizen of New Smyrna for her efforts to make the entertainment a success.

Mrs. Hofreiter has succeeded in stirring up a spirit for the betterment of our public school and the rest of us should be ready to put our shoulder to the wheel and push.

Yours truly,
MRS. ———.

New Smyrna, Oct. 27.

Mrs. Allen Lands Big Fish—

One fishing trip that has not been exploited much took place last week, when the honors went to one of the regular winter visitors to New Smyrna from Washington C. H., Ohio. Mrs. F. M. Allen of Orange street was the champion of the day of a party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. Smith and a friend from Kentucky, and Scott Beatty of Coronado. The day was spent at Red Shell. Each of the party landed a bass, and Mr. Beatty secured three, but Mrs. Allen drove them all to cover when she pulled in a bass that weighed 30 pounds after it had been bled.

EAST FLORIDA DESCRIBED IN BOOK PRINTED IN 1769

OFFICIAL REPORT MADE TO BRITISH GOVERNMENT ABOUT THIS STATE, THEN A BRITISH COLONY.

In a book printed by the British government in 1769, a copy of which is in possession of the Rev. E. M. C Dunklin, Baptist city missionary, Tampa, one of the first complete descriptions of the state, at that time a British possession, is to be found. It is declared to be "Florida's first real estate ad," written by John Bertram, a botanist of Philadelphia, who describes a trip up the St. Johns river from St. Augustine.

The book is entitled "Bertram's East Florida" and is inscribed "To the Most Honorable Charles, Marquis of Rockingham, First Lord of the Treasury," the treasury department of England having furnished the funds for the trip, that country being anxious to ascertain the value of its new possession, only recently secured from Spain. The book's figures on meteorology are surprisingly accurate, when it is considered that the writer spent only a short time in "East Florida." Statements about the annual rainfall are shown to be correct by present records.

According to the book "East Florida" is described as a land of great agricultural resources and in which the soil was particularly adapted to the culture of silk, sugar, indigo, corn, hemp, alligator pears, oranges (of which there were 20,000 acres under cultivation), and rice, which, the statement was made on the authority of a South Carolinian, that Florida was "fitter for the growing of rice than Carolina." The writer of the book also stated that deer were abundant, that the flesh of hogs was better than grown in any other section, and there were "fewer insects, with the exception of the alligator, than in any other part of North Amercia."

Bertram started on his trip in December, 1765, and in January of 1766 was in Florida when there occurred the first serious cold snap in the remembrance of the oldest residents. He states that the temperature fell to 26 degrees, that the ground was frozen a foot thick and that lime trees and other tender vegetation was killed As a general thing, the book bore testimony, the climate of Florida was such that the Spaniards in St. Augustine had "neither chimneys to the houses nor glass windows."

In one respect the book conveys an important bit of scientific information. The writer states that water hyacinth, the same kind so prevalent now, grew in nearly all of the rivers and streams, and was so thick in some places as to effectually obstruct navigation. This puts to rout the theory advanced in recent years that the hyacinth was brought in from the West Indian islands or some other sections and is not native to Florida.

Some portions of the book are extremely amusing in the light of present day knowledge. For instance Bertram, in telling of his visits to mineral springs, since noted for the valuable qualities of their waters, described the waters as being "exceedingly offensive in odour and tastes, like bilge water or the washings of a gun barrel."

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osmun, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitman and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carlton, all of Mantague, Mich., arrived here Wednesday to remain through the winter season. The Osmuns will occupy their winter home on Magnolia street, and it is said Messrs. Whitman and Carlton will build winter homes at once.

A special business meeting was held by the New Smyrna Woman's club at the home of Mrs Frost last Friday afternoon, the principal business done being the selection of Mrs Frost to represent the club at the state federation meeting in Orlando in the near future. The club plans to obtain a suite of club rooms for use this winter. The regular meetings of the organization will begin next month.

Ladies Guild Meeting—

The guild ladies were charmingly entertained by Mrs. Van Duesen at her pretty home, Bayola, on the river shore Wednesday. A goodly amount of business was given proper attention, a number of important matters being under consideration, after which delicious refreshments were served. Dark caught us so we were obliged to adjourn to meet next Wednesday at the church. We are all glad to have Mrs. Van among us again. Our visitor favored us again. She is always welcome.

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New Smyrna Waking Up—

New Smyrna has recently held a mass meeting, at which it was shown that the people were almost unanimously in favor of having something done about water supply and sewerage. The city council, following up this suggestion, has employed civil engineers to survey and report upon the cost of installing a water plant and sewerage system. The News says that after the plans and surveys have been completed the people will be given an opportunity to express themselves on the matter of improvement bonds. The move made by New Smyrna is in the line of modern progress, and it is thought by many that there will be a strong majority in favor of improvement bonds. No town or city can grow to any considerable importance without public utilities, and the example in some Florida cities that own their utilities seems well worth following.—Times Union.

I. O. O. F.

New Smyrna Lodge meets every Thursday night over Galbraith's store, corner Canal and Orange Streets. Visiting brothers welcome.

F. L. MOORE, N. G.

H. C. COLEE, Secy.

Newe comes from Jacksonville that work is progressing rapidly on the plant of the Jacksonville Brewing company, now in course of construction in the northwestern part of the city. Visitors go out daily to see the progress of the construction work

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The NEWS PRINTERMAN Says:

THE winter season will soon be here when all of us will be as busy as can be chasing the almighty dollar, and to the end that the said printer may "get his" he asks all his old stand-by friends, the home folks, to look over their stock of stationery and place orders ahead now as far as consistent.

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News in and Around Daytona

H. H. Hough was a Melbourne visitor for a day or two the fore part of this week.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McNeely will regret to learn that Mrs. McNeely is quite ill at her home 315 Volusia avenue.

E. L. Bond last Saturday purchased through A. J. Maiby a lot from Dr. N. H. Clark, located on Orange avenue west of the railroad.

W. W. Hilyard and Mrs. A. O. Holroyd arrived last Saturday evening and joined the other members of the Prince George party who had preceded them to Daytona.

The Ladies' Auxilliary of the Elks club will hold the first meeting of the season, with election of officers, at the Elks home next Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Will Cowan, who has been at Lake City during the summer, returned to Daytona Wednesday afternoon to spend the winter, as has been his custom for several seasons past.

Mrs. Mary G Duck and daughter, Miss Minnie Duck, arrived Wednesday afternoon from Atlanta, Ga., and are again established for the season in the Gammell apartment house on North Palmetto avenue

Mrs. Geo. H. Ward and Frank Pertlick arrived Wednesday fromWest Liberty, Iowa, to spend the winter, as usual. They will this season occupy apartments over the Peoples State Bank.

Mrs. Imogene Barker and daughter, Miss Minerva Barker, who have been at their former home, Pelham, N. Y., for two months or more, returned last Sunday morning and are again occupying their winter home on Emmett street

J H Dressner and son were in the city Tuesday in their launch, accompanied by a party which included F. B. Nordman, Sr. They had expected to return home the same day, but bad weather and engine troubles compelled them to remain here until Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. R. A. Carnine drove over to this city from DeLand last Saturday and went from here to St. Augustine by train to hold quarterly conference and services in that city, Sunday. He returned here Monday, but some trouble with his car prevented his return to DeLand until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Michael, who have been at their home place at Berwick, Pa., during the summer, returned to Daytona recently and are at their winter home on South Ridgewood avenue for the season, joining their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hutton, who remained here during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Paske of Cleveland are looking over Daytona with much interest. Mrs. Paske goes from here to Stuart where he will assume the management of the real estate business of J. A. Lucas. While here Mr. and Mrs. Paske are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lucas at the Cleveland.

Mrs. Fannie Rust of Winchester, Mass., has been the guest of J. A. Lucas and family the past week. Mrs. Rust owns considerable Florida real estate and is an enthusiast over the future of the state. She left on the afternoon train for West Palm Beach where she will be entertained by Miss Lucia E. Wood.

E. C. Pfahl, th West Palm Beach associate of J. A. Lucas, together with his wife and two children arived here Wednesday from Cleveland and are being entertained at the Cleveland by Mr. and Mrs. Lucas. They will view the beauties of Daytona before going to West Palm Beach wher Mr. Pfahl takes active management of the J. A. Lucas office.

Mrs. F. A. Newell and daughter, Miss Edith Newell, are again occupying their home on North Ridgewood avenue, after an absence of more than a year. They arrived last Friday from New York, having been in the Adirondacks during a part of the summer. Mrs. Newell and daughter made a tour abrod after leaving here, visiting Algiers and many points of interest in Europe.

Mrs. George Beardsley, who has been spending the summer at New Milford, Conn., and other points in New England, returned to Daytona last Monday and is at her home, Orange and Palmetto avenues, for the winter. Mrs. Beardsley is accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Fred H. Warner, of New Milford, who will spend the season here with her. Mrs. Warner and children spent several seasons in Daytona some years since, the last time being nine years ago.

Mrs. F. T. Polatty, of Myrtle avenue, was a DeLand visitor from Monday until Thursday of this week.

Mrs. A. Staples returned last Saturday and rejoined Mr. Staples at their South Beach street home. During the summer Mrs. Staples visited her eldest son, Dr. G. B. Cutten, president of Acadia university of Wolfeville, Nova Scotia, a daughter in Portland, Me., and another daughter in Foxboro, Mass. She also visited her old home in Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, and relatives in Milford, Conn.

Wedded in Jacksonville —

Friends in this city who were not intimate with the contracting parties were surprised to hear of the marriage of Miss Julia Stewart, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart, of Jacksonville and formerly of Daytona, to Clarence S. Rose of Seabreeze and once of Philadelphia. The wedding took place in Jacksonville, October 22nd.

Congregational Church Notes —

Sunday School at 9:45 a m Morning service at 11. Theme , "A Hiding Place."

No evening preaching service on account of lecture by Dr. Taylor in the school auditorium.

There will be a meeting of all interested in the organization of a C. E society, in Social Hall of the church, Sunday evening at 6:30. All are invited to this meeting for discussion and organization.

UNION ASSOCIATION OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS FORMED.

A mass meeting of the Sunday Schools of Daytona and vicinity met in Social Hall, Congregational church Wednesday evening and organized a Sunday School association for this section. A large number was present to manifest their interest in the future of the Sunday Schools of this vicinity. The object of this association is to get the different schools more closely affiliated in the general work as now carried on by the different churches. This association will soon begin a house-to-house visitation in the interests of the Bible Schools of Daytona and vicinity. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. S. Linnaeus Jackson; vice president, S Mills; secretary-treasurer, B. Foster.

FINE HARD SURFACED ROAD TO TITUSVILLE.

Mr and Mrs. W C. Branch and Mr. and Mrs. J. Erlin Brown made an automobile trip to Titusville, Tuesday morning in Mr. Branch's car, returning home in the evening, very much enthused with the excellent condition of the road and the beautiful scenery along the way. The distance is between 49 and 50 miles and all, they say, is as good or better than the road to New Smyrna with the exception of one short stretch of about a mile. The road passes through orange groves and handsome woodland and in one place many acres of wild sunflowers in bloom presented a very beautiful sight. The party want to know why this section of the highway is so much superior to that between Daytona and St. Augustine.

Look to True Accomplishment.

An idle mind is possible with busy hands; so often this is forgotten. We may do many things and accomplish little, simply because the activity is skin deep, outward, superficial. We want rest for our attainments to sink in, to gather our harvest, understand and sift it. We may see too much to see anything clearly, hear too much to really listen; with much hastening we do not always arrive.

Where Theft is Unknown.

Finland is a realm whose inhabitants are remarkable for their inviolate integrity. There are no banks and no safe deposits, for no such security is essential. You may leave your luggage anywhere for any length of time, and be quite sure of finding it untouched on your return, and your purse full of money would be just as secure under similar circumstances.

Critics, Take Notice.

Great writers cantingly criticised by small writers—of whom Dr. Parr might be happy to say, that they have profundity without obscurity—perspicuity without prolixity—ornament without glare—terseness without barrenness—penetration without subtlety—comprehensiveness without digression—and a great number of other things without a great number of other things.—Sydney Smith

New Horticultural Idea.

Using mercury vapor lamps in her greenhouse, a Scotch woman horticulturist not only forces seeds to sprout and plants to grow in half the usual time, but also produces greater depth of color in the vegetation.

Virtue.

Virtue is a device for making death less horrible. Virtue is the will without the deed. Virtue is its own punishment.—Smart Set.

Love In the Stock Market

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

About the close of the last century, when shares on the stock market were rising and falling like the waves of the sea under a storm, James Rigdon was for a time a power in Wall street. When it was reported that Rigdon was selling a stock everybody rushed to sell. When he bought the price would rise like the thermometer on a July morning

Rigdon was a bachelor, and as soon as it became known among his women friends that he knew what stocks were going up and what were going down he received more attention than the handsomest man in New York. One of these ladies, Miss Martindale, he wished to claim as his own, but despite all he could do he couldn't find out whether she had any use for him other than to learn how to make money in stocks.

One evening while with her she importuned him to give her a tip on some stock that was about to be "put up." He explained to her that when he boomed a stock, if it were known that he was booming it, it would rise in value, but the trouble was that, when he wished to unload, the moment it was known that he had begun to sell, down would go the market and he would be left with a lot of "undigested securities" on his hands He was about to put up the market price on a certain stock, but he could not take her into his scheme, for if it were known that she was buying and selling by his advice it would result disastrously for him.

"But I won't tell," she said.

"Can I rely on you?"

"Certainly."

"Very well. Buy Onarora Copper It is selling at 7 cents a share."

"How awfully kind of you!"

"I can rely on you?"

"Surely."

She gave his hand a special pressure when he left her and, running to the telephone, ordered him to purchase 1,000 shares of Onarora Copper. He did so without disturbing the market price of the stock half a point. Then she fell to thinking that her father and her brother and her sister would be delighted to participate in her good fortune, so she told them she had bought Onarora. There was no need for them to ask her why, because they knew she had for a long while been endeavoring to get a tip out of Mr. Rigdon. Surely there was no breach of confidence in this.

So the Martindale family put what spare money they had in Onarora Copper, and each told his broker his reasons for doing so Each broker had a number of speculators hanging about his office who were given the tip. The stock rose slowly and beautifully like a balloon sailing up toward the sky. Now and again it would fall back, a few thousand shares being thrown upon the market.

"Manipulation," said those in the secret. "The price is rising too rapidly for him. He hasn't got all he wants. Wait a bit."

By and by these sales grew smaller, and for some time the stock ceased to be offered. Miss Martindale asked Mr. Rigdon if it were not time to sell. He replied, "Not yet." And the stock went higher. Then suddenly it began to tumble. Every one who had been speculating on the Rigdon tip began to get "from under" except the Martindale family. When Onarora had sunk to the price they paid for it Miss Martindale sent for Mr. Rigdon and asked him if the boom was over.

"Yes, it is," he replied, "and I have unloaded all I had, some 40,000 shares, at a fair price."

Miss Martindale looked appalled.

"I supposed," she said coldly, "that you were to let me know when to sell as well as to buy."

"That would not have accorded with my plans. I told you when to buy, and you told others. I knew you would and that your tips to others would put up the stock. If I had told you when to sell it would have spoiled my scheme."

"In other words, you have used me to your own advantage. You have not only disappointed me, but you have induced me to disappoint others."

"How have I induced you to disappoint others?"

"Why, they knew I bought the stock and surmised that I did so by your advice."

"And you did not tell them the secret. Well, you had no occasion to tell them. I believe that, in all, you and your family hold 3,000 shares. Am I right?"

"You are."

"Well, when the stock reached its highest stage I sold 3,000 shares for your account and also sold 3,000 shares more for you to be delivered within thirty days after the sale. You and your family have made on the rise of the stock $12,000 and as much more on the fall."

Miss Martindale stood looking at Mr. Rigdon with astonishment, the cold look on her face breaking into a smile. Then she put out her hand. Mr. Rigdon improved the opportunity by putting the other hand around her waist and, drawing her to him, kissed her, at the same time proposing a new deal by which she should always profit by his operations.

Illustrations of gold on one side of a scale and love on the other, gold outweighing love, are very popular. The above is an instance where gold was used to entice love.

Holly Hill

HOLLY HILL, Oct. 28. — Lovick Blitch returned Sunday from spending the summer in the middle west. When he left Montana last week there was a foot of snow on the ground. Lovick says he is glad to get back to Florida.

Misses Etta and Helena Loftburg, of DeLand, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peterson.

C. F. Wetherell has made some alterations in his house, plastering some of the rooms and a new coat of paint on the exterior. He has also erected a building to house his new auto which is coming this week.

S. T. Hill has put an addition of two rooms on his house, a fire place and other improvements.

W. A. Baggett, of Seabreeze, has purchased the C. A. Ballough place on the river front and is having the house plastered and other improvements made preparatory to occupying it. The house was ceiled and this is being torn out and replaced by plaster.

R. R. Posten and family, who for some time have been occupying the C. A. Ballough house, recently purchased by W. A. Baggett of Seabreeze, have removed to Ormond, wher they will make their home.

Dr. H. R. Estes, who is making his home with his daughter, Mrs. S. I. Merwin, and husband, was summoned to Palatka as a witness in a damage suit against the F. E. C. railway, and went to that city Monday.

Killed by Flying Splinter.

A curious death befell a child at St. Die, France, the other day. A man was cutting up tree trunks for firing. He was splitting some of the large ones by boring a hole, putting in a little gunpowder, and exploding it. A girl of eight watched him from behind a first-floor window which closed. Suddenly a trunk exploded, and a splinter flew up, smashed through the window, and pierced the child's heart. She died immediately.

First Use of Tobacco.

The cigar has a long history. Tobacco may have been used in cigar form before it was burned in pipes, sniffed as snuff or taken as a "quid," but on this point there is no proof. Two of the sailors under Columbus on the first voyage reported that they had seen natives of the new-found world with firebrands in their mouths and with smoke issuing from their lips.

Snake Put Town in Darkness.

A 20-inch green snake put out all the electric lights in the town of Mullins, S. C. In the morning linemen found it tangled in some wires on a pole. It had crawled to the top of the pole and coming in contact with the wires forced a short circuit, put out the lights and incidently died.

Stain Remover.

It is sometimes difficult to keep the kitchen paper free from grease stains. They may be removed entirely if a mixture of pipe clay and water made the consistency of cream is spread over them and allowed to remain over night. In the morning it should be removed with a clean brush or cloth.

Famous Paragraph by a Cynic.

Zapata, having received no response, began preaching simply of God. He taught people of the father of mankind, the rewarder, the punisher and pardoner. He separated truth from falsehood and religion from fanaticism. He taught any practiced virtue. He was gentle, kind hearted and modest, and was burned at the stake at Valladolid in the year of our Lord, 1651.—Voltaire.

No More School Slates.

Remember the old school slates, bound in red flannel to prevent the noise of slate rattling that used to become unbearable, until manufacturers found how to muffle them? Stores selling school supplies used to carry great stocks of them, for it was a rare day in a room that did not see a slate or two broken; but where are they all now? Since the boards of health decided that they were insanitary and decreed against them, the whole tribe has disappeared.

Early Cultivation of Tobacco.

The cultivation of the tobacco plant was about the first thing the American colonists turned their attention to upon recovering from the gold fever. It is known that John Rolfe, the husband of Pocahontas, had a field of tobacco at Jamestown in 1612, and it is believed that the plant was cultivated by Rolfe and his neighbors at an earlier date than that. The export records of tobacco from Jamestown colony appear to begin in 1612.

Beets as Fertilizers.

An explanation of the improvement of European agriculture in recent years has been sought, and in Germany it is attributed to soil stimulation from beet culture. From the books of eight scattered estates where beets have been grown for sugar, Dr. Lilienthal finds an increase in the yield of wheat of 5.95 bushels per acre; rye, 1.59; barley, 6.61, and oats, 5.77. Cattle have increased, and the net income has been raised by as high as 70 per cent.

Ormond

J. A. REILLY, Correspondent

ORMOND, Oct. 28.—Dr. Huntington has bought six of the Worthy lots on the peninsula and probably will build on the river front, within a short time.

Mr. Weatherbee arrived in Ormond Thursday.

Leonard Knox and son returned to Ormond Saturday.

Mrs. Pitts returned from Dr. Frances hospital Monday afternoon, much improved. Her niece, Mrs. Blossom, from Massachusetts, who will stop with her this winter, accompanied her.

Judge Stewart was in Ormond Sunday. He left for Jacksonville in the afternoon.

W. H. Barker and wife arrived in Ormond Saturday.

Mr. Hill and friends from Philadelphia spent a number of days last week looking over Ormond Park. Improvements will begin soon. Mr. Bramell will have charge of the work.

J. Wilson Miller returned Monday. Mr. Miller is glad to get back to Ormond.

Mrs. Frank Colby returned home Monday P. M. She spent a very pleasant summer with her daughter, Mrs. I. H. Sawyer.

Mr. Burr and Mrs. Smyth returned Thursday. Mr. Burr is feeling better than he did a year ago.

Frank Colby has his garage completed and will soon want a license for his auto.

Mrs. Udora Watson will return about November 10th.

Three of J. Wilson Millers houses are rented. Houses are renting early this season.

Mrs. John A. Reilly and daughter returned from Jacksonville Monday.

Chas. Cook is improving; is now able to meet his friends at the door when they call.

Allandale

ALLANDALE, Oct. 26. — Mitchell Hunter has the rock on his lot, corner of Wornock Place and Ridgewood avenue for his home anl chimney and expects to build his home in the near future.

The Will Howes house has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. J. Rusk and L. A. Andrews, of Haines Falls, N. Y., who own quite a bit of property in Allandale and contemplates various business enterprises here later on.

F. A. Sparkman has finished shelling Roxby Place and it will be rolled down this week. Roxby Place is one of the prettiest streets in the township.

A well has been driven on the lot of Mrs. Clara Taylor where the rock bungalow and garage is to be built. Mrs. Taylor and her daughter enjoy bringing friends over from DeLand in their handsome Stearn-Knight car, to enjoy the delightful coast air and scenery, and she is rapidly becoming an Allandale booster.

Mr. Dittman and Malone have completed the coquina rock work chimney and fireplace at the Allandale Inn. The third floor is about completed and we think all those who like to sleep till the rising bell rings will appreciate the restful mission stain which has been given to the bed rooms. The furniture should be here soon and it is hoped that the inn will be open for Thanksgiving.

We hope that home builders will make generous use of the coquina rock as all the homes that have gone up have used it in foundations, chimneys, and fireplaces. If we are called the coquina town we will be proud of it.

Mrs. W. C. Howes arrived home on Saturday after a very pleasant summer down Cape Cod way and with friends in Boston. Mrs. H. is looking well and has had a most pleasant summer but is glad to get back to the Land of Sunshine and Flowers.

Mr. Hicks has been busy cleaning up his lot on Ridgewood. It is surprising how different property looks here when it is well cleaned off. It is hoped that many other of the lot owners will follow Mr. Hicks example. Mr. Hicks has had some luck this week fishing for bass and trout, they seem to run well about here.

J. M. Rickman will open a real estate office here in the near future with a branch at Port Orange, making a specialty of Allandale property. The Rickmans are delighted with their new home; they think it so much higher and dryer than on Dunlawton, where they lived for the past two years. Mr. Rickman is for Allandale first, last and all the time.

Heat Lightning.

Heat lightning is ascribed to distant lightning flashes which are below the horizon, but illuminate the higher strata of clouds so that their brightness is visible at great distances; they produce no sound, probably in consequence of the fact of their being so far off that the rolling of thunder cannot reach the ear of the observer.

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STATE HAPPENINGS

News from Fair Florida Briefly Told

A spelling match will be pulled off between the Ft. Meade board of trade and the high school, the receipts to be devoted to the board of trade boosters fund.

Naval stores operators in this state are considering the plan of cutting down the output for the ensuing year owing to losses sustained recently by overproduction.

Three main canals, each two miles long, and several latterals, will be dug at Stuart by the Palm Beach Realty company. About nine months will be required to complete the work.

The annual convention of the Florida Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Orlando the week beginning November 4 A large number of delegates from all over the state will attend

The interstate commerce commission has declared that the rates of the Florida East Coast railway on vegetables in mixed carloads and potatoes in hampers from Florida points to Chicago are "unreasonable and excessive and must be adjusted."

The Arcadia Enterprise says: "The King-Parker cattle company shipped a train load of about 40 cars of fine cattle to Kansas City yesterday, making the second large shipment they have made recently. The shipment yesterday included about 1,500 head, and the stock were in good condition.

Articles of incorporation for a railroad from Tampa to the East Coast by way of Charlotte Harbor, and to be known as the Tampa, Charlotte Harbor and East Coast railroad, with a capital stock of $3,000,000 have been filed with the secretary of state and the building of the new road is practically assured

Bishop William Crane Gray, who has given practically his entire life to the advancement of the Episcopal church in the south, has resigned. His last 20 years have been given to Florida where he has done yeoman service in behalf of the Seminole Indians and in laying the foundation for many churches and schools, one of the most successful the Cathedral school in Orlando. Bishop Gray is highly honored in this entire state.

Orlando is branching out again; this time away up in the atmosphere. They are going to have a roof garden. It will be 87 feet above the ground and will have space for the accommodation of 600 people. It will be on top of the Yowell - Duckworth building. There will be an entertainment department of the great department store that will be run by the firm above named. There will be pergolas, flowers, palms, etc, and refreshment tables for all.

Plant City is going to celebrate a new kind of a day; this time it is "Strawberry Day." January 1st has been designated as the day for the celebration, which will no doubt result in great and beneficial advertising for the strawberry section, as Plant City is refered to now. A bumper crop is predicted for this season. A carload of berries will be sent to Governor Park Trammell, at Tallahassee, in time for his dinner on New Year's day, so he can partake of the luscious fruit

Announcement has been made that William M. Holloway, of Gainesville, has been named by the treasury department as one of the three members of the board which will thereafter inspect and pass upon all public building sites in the South. Mr. Halloway's appointment is directly due to effort on the part of Representative Clark of Florida, chairman of the house committee of buildings and grounds, who has been insistent for some time that there should be more method employed in the country's public building policy.

Running over a five-foot rattlesnake on the road between Tampa and Plant City yesterday afternoon H. L. Green, assistant manager of the Coronet phosphate company, accompanied by J. H Harrison, claim agent for the Atlanta Northern railway, had an experience that would not occur again in the century, says the Tribune. A big rattler was crossing the road slowly, when the car passed across him, a foot from his bunch of rattles, and as quick as a flash the reptil struck at the car with his fangs. Both deadly bits of venom passed through the outer casing of the tire and into the inner tube, but in retruing it, the snake was literally crushed to death by the revolving wheel, the rubber compressing the fangs so that they could not be withdrawn.

The railroad commissioners have issued an order requiring the Seaboard Air Line railway to build additional and better depot facilities at Raleigh.

Rather than pay their proportion of paving, which will be assessed when Seventh street in St. Petersburg is paved, the street car officials say they will move their track to another street.

The mayor of St. Augustine has issued an order postponing "clean-up day" from October 27 to November 7 in order that the citizens might fully understand what cleaning-up generally means.

Noel A. Mitchell of St. Petersburg, has extended an invitation to Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, the British militant suffragette who has been allowed to land in New York, to visit the Sunshine City and make an address there.

The circuit court grand jury of Escambia county is investigating the high rate of interest charged by some of the Pensacola land sharks and there are excellent prospects of numerous true bills for usury being returned by the investigators.

The Hotel Schultz at Punta Rassa was burned a few nights ago and the loss was complete as the insurance policy had lapsed some 60 days ago. The building is said to have been worth probably $30,000 or $40,000 and will be a severe blow to the tourist trade of south Florida.

Miami is all alive over a plan to bond for a large sum — from $200,000 to $300,000 — for the sole pjurpose of acquiring sites and building municipal docks If such bonds carry it will give that city a magnificent prospect for future trade — and will receive the co-operation of the federal authorities.

Work on the $80,000 freight station in Lakeland, which has just been started is now held up on account of an injunction having been applied for by T. B. Hendrix and other property owners, in which objections were raised that the erection of the station, additional tracks, etc., would prove injurious to surrounding property.

John Bunny, the great favorite of those who frequent the movies, has accepted the invitation of W. C. Temple, of citrus fame, to spend the winter season at Winter Park, near Sanford. Mr. Bunny will bring his company of players and occupy the large 18-room residence belonging to Mr. Temple.

The only thing now needed on the East Coast to perfect the Elysian character of that region, is a buttermilk farm, one with a 40,000 gallon capacity. Positively, there are no buttermilk cows over there and the old men who frequent that modern paradise sadly miss their favorite beverage.—Punta Gorda Herald.

Clearwater is in an admirable frame of mind at present. It has just signed a contract for a new hotel which has so long been desired bythat city. While the hotel cannot be completed in time for the coming winter season, it will be there for the next one and Clearwater will no longer have to explain the lack of suitable accommodations for its visitors.

Kissimmee has a new furniture factory. The new enterprise has been started without much noise and without much preliminary negotiation, but it is an actuality all the same and is now turning out very pretty furniture made out of the native yellow pine and cypress. The establishment is fully equipped with a very complete outfit of most modern machinery. Its output at present is principally furniture of the mission type and compares favorably in style and finish with any made anywhere.

They Take No Chances.

The Chinese blacksmith thinks a great deal of his anatomy, when shoeing horses, which are not numerous in China He is so skittish in doing a job of shoeing and so dubious about handling the hoofs of the animal, that, when shoeing is required, the horse is strung up with ropes in such a manner as to prevent kicking. No exceptions are made, even though the horse be a scrawny street plug of advanced age.

Rest In Forgetfulness.

"Who does not love to shuffle off time and its concerns at intervals—to forget who is president and who is governor, what race he belongs to, what language he speaks—and to listen to the great liquid metronome as it beats its solemn measure, steadily swinging, when the solo or duet of human life began, and to swing just as steadily after the human chorus has died out and man is a fossil on its shores."—The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.

History of the Lemon.

The lemon has a clear history. Unknown to the Greeks and Romans, it was introduced into Spain by the Arabs in the twelfth century, and in 1494 was being cultivated in the Azores and shipped in large quantities to northern Europe.

Circumstantial Evidence

By DAVID WALTER CHURCH

A stagecoach lumbered along through the Rocky mountains in the region of a newly discovered mining district. In it were three women and four men One of the men had a young face, but was prematurely gray. He kept his fellow passengers from becoming dull by telling stories and otherwise amusing them. When the coach reached a relay he left it and those he had entertained were sorry to part with him.

The coach had not gone far on the next relay before the passengers heard pistol shots, and the body of the driver came tumbling down from the box. Immediately a man with white hair and whose face was concealed by a mask rode to the side of the coach where the passengers could see him and ordered them to step out, line up and disgorge The order was obeyed by all except one man, who, watching his opportunity, struck the robber a blow on the cheek; the strings which tied on his mask were broken and it fell to the ground, revealing a face that excited the astonishment of all.

In the robber they recognized their fellow traveler who had but recently parted from them.

He shot the man who had attacked him, collected the valuables of the passengers and rode away. One of the men mounted to the box and drove to the next relay.

The robbery was reported and a description of the robber given. A posse was organized and scoured the country round about. But they did not have to go far to find their man. He was found on the porch of a tavern smoking a cigar After looking at him a moment the sheriff arrested him.

"What do you want with me?" he asked in real or pretended astonishment.

"You're wanted for the robbery of the coach that was held up and the murder of two persons. What's your name?"

"Edward Livermore."

"Well, Livermore, if that's your name, we're going to take you to the county seat to be tried. Come along."

Livermore assured the men that they were making a mistake, but they paid no attention to what he said and took him to jail. He begged to have a speedy trial since he was looking for mining property and the mistake that had been made was delaying him. His request was granted partly because the evidence of the other passengers of the coach in which he had traveled was required and they were anxious to go about their business.

At the trial every one of them swore that Livermore was the robber and murderer. Another thing against him was that he had come to the tavern on a horse the same color as the robber had ridden when the coach was attacked Livermore explained this by saying that he had hired the horse near the relay where he had left the coach

Not a person in the courtroom but believed the prisoner and the robber were the same person. He had but little evidence to give in his behalf, and when it was in the public prosecutor rested the case. The judge instructed the jury, which retired and in half an hour returned with a verdict of guilty

The judge was about to pass sentence when a man, who said he was a barber, entered the courtroom and asked to be heard. He said that the day before the robbery a man, who resembled the accused, had entered his shop to be shaved. During the shaving he had talked with the barber, who told him that he had recently come from the east with a remnant of a stock, including some wigs. The customer had purchased a white one.

This testimony made an impression on all in court except the judge. He considered it for a few minutes, then announced that he had decided not to regard it. Six fellow passengers of the prisoner had sworn that he was the murderer. The story of the barber was on its face a cheap device on the part of some friend to save him. It would not accord with the laws of evidence to regard it, conflicting as it did with the testimony of so many disinterested witnesses of good character

Livermore simply declared his innocence, saying that the real robber had bought the white wig for a disguise to help conceal his identity. The witnesses had been deceived by the similarity in the appearance of the two men.

Having listened to this statement, the judge passed the sentence, condemning the convicted man to be hanged on a certain date. He died protesting his innocence and predicting that some day the real murderer would turn up.

The murder and execution were followed by other robberies, apparently by different persons, for no two were dressed alike or looked alike, though, being always masked, their faces were never seen. Finally one of them was arrested and convicted. The evening before he was swung off he confessed that he had committed all these crimes in different disguises, the first being the murder for which Livermore had been executed His resemblance to Livermore was very strong. When a white wig was put on his head several of those who had testified against Livermore saw their error and felt they had sent an innocent man to the scaffold The man who had committed the crime was executed, but it was not possible to bring Livermore back to life.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intend to apply to the Governor of the State of Florida, at his office in Tallahassee, Florida, on the 25th day of November, 1913, for Letters Patent incorporating them, their associates and successors into a body politic and corporate in deed and in law under the name of Indian Springs Land Co., under the following proposed Charter and Articles of Incorporation.

WILLIAM J. GREENE,
AUGUST GREENE
FRANK H. LANG

Articles of Incorporation of Indian Springs Land Co.

We, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a body politic and corporate under the laws of the State of Florida and subscribe to the following articles of incorporation.

1st. The name of this corporation shall be Indian Springs Land Co Its principal place of business shall be New Smyrna, Volusia county, Florida.

2nd. The general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be to acquire through purchase or otherwise, real estate and personal property, to improve, to sell, to rent, to lease and to incumber the same, to borrow and loan loan money, and accept and give all kinds of securities therefor, to make any and all necessary by-laws and to alter them for the government of its officers and directors.

3d. The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be $100,000.00 divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of $100 00 each, to be issued only when paid for in full by cash or real and personal property, or services, the value of said property or services to be in each case fixed and determined by the board of directors at a regular meeting or at a special meeting to be called for that purpose by the directors or a majority thereof

4th. The term for which said corporation shall exist is fifty years.

5th. The business of said corporation shall be conducted by a president, a vice president and a secretary-treasurer and a board of three directors, and such other officers and agents as may be hereafter appointed.

The board of directors shall be elected by the stockholders at their annual meeting. The other officers of the corporation shall be selected immediately thereafter by the board of directors. The term of office of all officers and directors shall be one year or until their successor has been elected and qualified. The annual meeting of the corporation shall be held on the 2nd Tuesday in January in each year hereafter, unless hereafter changed by by laws of said corporation. The first meeting of the stockholders shall be held in New Smyrna, Friday, January 12, 1914, for the purpose of electing officers, adopting by-laws, and a seal, and perfecting the organization.

The names of the officers who shall conduct the business of the corporation until those elected at the first election shall be qualified, are

William J. Greene, President.

Max Leidersdorf, Vice President.

August Greene, Secretary-Treasurer.

William J. Greene, August Greene, Frank H. Lang, Directors.

6th. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation can at any time subject itself, shall be $50,000.00.

7th. The names and residences of the subscribers and incorporators, and the amount of stock subscribed for by each, are as follows:

William J. Greene, Chicago, Illinois, 499 shares.

August Greene, Chicago, Illinois, 499 shares.

Frank H. Lang, Chicago, Illinois, 2 shares.

In witness whereof, We, the subscribers and incorporators, have hereunto set our hands and seals this 16th day of October, A. D, 1913.

WILLIAM J. GREENE.
AUGUST GREENE.
FRANK H. LANG.

State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss:

I, Robert F. Kolb, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that William J. Greene, August Greene and Frank H. Lang, to me known and known to be the same persons described in and who executed the foregoing articles of incorporation, personally appeared before me this day and severally acknowledged that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 16th day of October A. D., 1913.

ROBERT F. KOLB,
Notary Public in and for Cook County, Illinois. My commission expires December 6, 1916.

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Take an ordinary wax candle and burn until the taper becomes level; then put out the flame and cover the top with a layer of salt, leaving only the blackened end of the wick exposed. It will give out a faint but steady light.

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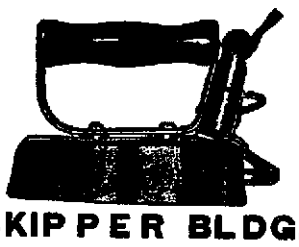
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"DEEP WATER," Our Slogan.

The newspapers all over the state of Florida are taking up the fight for better schools throughout the state and in many places the citizens are responding to the call for improvement in conditions by building larger and better school houses and thus adding to the general attractions of the towns.

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New Smyrna is what might be called "a pretty town," but a little extra effort should be made to develop the natural beauties of the city and make it as attractive as possible for the winter visitors, who are now arriving from the north. Judicious pruning of trees and shrubbery and planting at this season a number of the tender annuals which grow in the north only in the summer time, will add much to the natural attractiveness of the city and make it more inviting to strangers, as well as more pleasant for the home folks.

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The people of this section of Volusia county should earnestly accept the spirit of the proclamation of Governor Trammell designating Friday, Nov. 21, as a state good roads day, when all able-bodied citizens are expected to lend moral, financial and physical assistance in repairing and building good roads throughout the state. This experminment has been tried in other states and in one county in this state and has proved a big success. Every man can spare one day from his business and labors to help build roads and New Smyrna should be the banner town of the state in turning out to work for this cause.

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While Major Slattery has admitted that freight rates on the East Coast are high, he states that no inlet should be deepened for commercial purposes until a boat line has been established and commerce is actually moving through that body of water. Possibly he will tell us how any ordinary size boat can get through Mosquito and other inlets along the coast unless they are deepened first. Deepen the inlets and the commerce will follow, but probably not in such a large volume as predicted by the secretary of the New Smyrna board of trade.—Stuart Times.

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OUR SCHOOL.

The News does not make a practice of publishing annoymous communications and has a set rule against giving space to any communication without the name of the writer, but it gladly prints today the letter from Mrs. Blank concerning the entertainment given last Saturday night for the benefit of the public school library. The letter is not anonymous because it was brought to the office by the writer with the request that the name be withheld, and the News approves the sentiments expressed. The time has come when the people of New Smyrna must realize that important changes in school conditions must be made if the pupils are to be given the proper training for their work in life, and these changes can not be brought about without earnest effort on the part of the people of the city. The one change most needed at this time is a larger and more sanitary building in a better location, and this is the matter to which the people should turn their attention now. The way to obtain this building was fully explained in a communication from the local board of trustees published in the News recently, and the time to act is now.

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GET AWAY BACK.

The Enterprise will not publish any more articles designed to convince any one of the value of good roads. The argument so far as we are concerned is closed and the case is up to the jury.

The other day we were arguing with a man upon this subject and explained how good roads would increase the value of his land. He said he did not want the value of his land increased, as that would increase correspondingly the taxes on his land. That was a stunner, and we frankly acknowledke that he had us "out on a limb."

However, we closed the debate at once by advising him to allow the good roads to come along, then sell his land at an increased value, and buy more cheap land back of the road, so far in the back part of the backwoods that his chickens would cross with the owls, and there live in seclusion and become a gink.—Arcadia Enterprise.

DATES FOR OPERATION OF THE BIG HOTELS.

Announcement of the opening and closing times for the big hotels of the Florida East Coast Hotel company has been made, as follows:

Ponce de Leon—St. Augustine, opens Tuesday, January 6, 1914, under the management of Robert Murray. Closes Monday, April 6, 1914.

Alcazar, St. Augustine, opens Saturday, December 6, 1913, under the management of Wm. McAuliffe. Closes Tuesday, April 14, 1914.

Ormond—Ormond, opens Wednesday, January 7, 1914, under the management of U. J. Trudeau. Closes Saturday, April 4, 1914.

The Breakers—Palm Beach, opens Tuesday, December 23, 1913, under the management of Leland Sterry. Closes Thursday, April 2, 1914.

Royal Poinciana—Palm Beach, opens Thursday, January 8, 1914, under the management of H. E. Bemis. Closes Saturday, March 28, 1914.

Royal Palm—Miami, opens Thursday, January 1, 1914, under the management of Joseph P. Greaves. Closes Thursday, April 2, 1914.

The Colonial—Nassau, Bahama Islands, opens Saturday, January 3, 1914, under the management of J. W. Greene. Closes Thursday, April 2, 1914.

Long Key Fishing Camp—Long Key, opens Saturday, December 20, 1913, under the management of L. P. Schutt. Closes Saturday, April 18, 1914.

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BODY OF PROMINENT NAVAL STORES MAN FOUND IN WOODS

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The body of R. E. Baldwin, one of the most prominent naval stores operators of Volusia county, was found in a lonely spot in the woods about a mile from his turpentine still in the Tomoka region probably 12 miles north of his home in Daytona, about dusk Wednesday evening.

Mr. Baldwin left his home in Daytona early Tuesday and from Ormond made the trip to the camp on horse back. His failure to return home at all Tuesday led to a search, the outcome of which was the uncovering of a dastardly murder. Roped, strapped, and wired to the horse, badly bruised, and with a bullet hole through his brain, the searchers found Mr. Baldwin's body, mute evidence of the victim of having been shot from ambush, probably from the gun of a negro, with a number of whom Mr. Baldwin has had serious trouble from time to time. Although Mr. Baldwin was subject to heart trouble, the suicide or accidental death theory seems absurb from the condition of the body, the location of the bullet, and the looks of the wound.

An autopsy of the body was performed at the Bingham & Maley morgue in Daytona Thursday morning and the body is being held there pending the verdict of a coroner's inquest which will be held today near the scene of the crime. The dead man is survived by a wife and two children living on Bay street in Daytona.

Meet me at Palace opening night Williams Stock Co.

Miss Joy H. Smith of Columbus, Ohio, has accepted the new position of fourth grade teacher in the New Smyrna school. Miss Smith is a graduate of the University of Ohio with degrees of A. B. and B. S. and has had successful experience as a teacher. She will arrive here Sunday and begin work Monday.

Good vaudeville at the Palace.

The business men of Pensacola have completed the organization of the Pensacola Business Men's association. The association has a membership of about 300.

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Some dancers with Williams Stock

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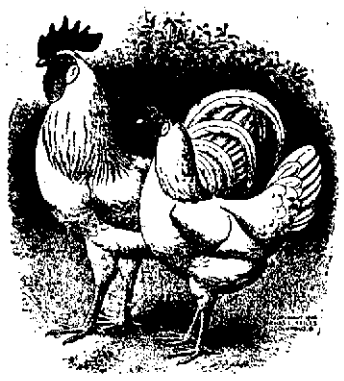

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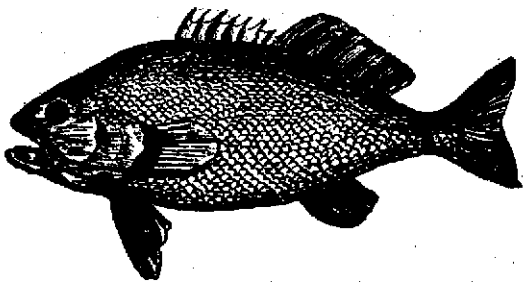

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LOCAL NEWS

*Be up to date. Get a Big Ben at Herrick's.

S. Ross made a business trip to Bunnell last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierson of Daytona were the guests of friends in this city Sunday.

Clarence Gridley was a visitor in town Sunday. He has been employed in Palatka during the summer.

Mrs. John Day and daughter Miss Fannie of Lake Helen were the guests of friends in New Smyrna the first part of the week.

The regular meetings of the county school board and the board of county commissioners will be held in DeLand next Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McAuley, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jernigan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Montaine made a trip to Daytona Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. M. Singleton and children returned to their home in Titusville Saturday after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Singleton's sister, Mrs. Seaver.

Mrs. H. L. Minton of Hastings, Fla., spent Sunday with friends in New Smyrna.

*Bring your watches, clocks and jewelry to Herrick to be fixed before the Christmas rush.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. F. Roper and Miss Cecelia Baldwin motored to Daytona last Saturday.

Otto Grosse, proprietor of the Magnolia grove at Cocoa, was a business visitor in New Smyrna Monday.

Tom Dougherty and wife returned to New Smyrna the last part of last week and are occupying their home on Orange street.

Mrs. W. H. Chesser has returned home from her visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in and around Birmingham, Alabama.

*Celery Plants For Sale—$1.50 per thousand. Special prices for larger quantities. Address F. F. DUTTON, Sanford, Florida. 22-2.

The recent cool weather and the rains of the past week have brought smiles to the faces of the citrus fruit growers and farmers in this vicinity.

The laying of a new sidewalk in front of the Bell property on Canal street has greatly improved the appearance of that particular part of the city.

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Judge Bert Fish of DeLand was in the city on business Wednesday.

W. M. Laws of Orange City was in town on business the first of the week.

J. C. McCullough has let the contract to have an addition built to his house on canal street.

Lee Waite returned Wednesday from Cincinnati and other points in Ohio, where he has been spending the summer.

Three horses, shipped from Paris and belonging to W. E. Connor, arrived in the city recently and will be used by the grove people as saddle horses.

John McCormick is having the first story of the McCullough house remodelled. Part of the front part will be used as a pool room and part of it as a small store.

Dr. Davis Forster of the Shelter sanitorium at Hawks Park was called to Sanford Wednesday to perform an operation on Mrs. E. E. Brady, wife of one of Sanford's prominent citizens.

Justice C. D. Abbott of Jacksonville, whose wife died suddenly last week Sunday, spent several days this week in New Smyrna visiting his brother George and other relatives and friends.

Miss Meryt Rhodes of Gloversville, N. Y., will arrive here in the near future to take the position of musical director for the Palace theater. Miss Rhodes is thoroughly experienced in this line.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lovejoy are expected to arrive in New Smyrna next week. They left Portland, Me., by auto for New York last Monday, expecting to sail from New York for Jacksonville today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Waldo Dunklee and daughters, Elizabeth and Emma, Mrs. E. W. Dunklee and Mrs. Mary A. Nutall arrived Monday from Rockport, Mass., and will remain through the winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Latham will begin moving this week from the apartments they have been occupying over the Fidelity bank to the new home just built for them by T. L. Howell adjoining the latter's home on Live Oak street.

The annual Hallow'en party of the Ladies guild will be held in Dohn's hall tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. Dancing and games will be the attraction for the young people. The witches and elves will be roasted at 12 o'clock.

Send the News to your friends.

RAILROAD RATES ARE HIGHER TO THE SOUTH THAN TO WEST

WISCONSIN MAN DIGS UP IMPORTANT FACTS CONCERNING EXPENSE OF MOVING DOWN TO THIS STATE.

A. E. Shower, a newspaper man, connected with the Wisconsin State Journal, at Madison, Wis., contemplated moving to Clearwater and investigating rates on household goods from Madison to Tampa and Clearwater he finds that for the same money he can send goods twice as far west as he can south. In a letter he gives comparisons on rates. The letter, in part, follows:

"I wanted to go south this fall, taking my family and a large part of my household goods. Now, one may go west from Madison an equal distance that it is from here to Tampa or Clearwater for about one-half the cost. The Illinois Central road—the most direct route—asks me $189 for a car. Then I cannot take any live stock in it without an additional cost of six cents per hundred on everything in the car. An attendant cannot go with the car unless he pays full fare, and under no circumstances will they permit any one to take chickens in the car. Going west this is altogether different. Now I am told the reason for this high rate is because the southern roads will not co-operate as western roads do with those of the central states. Whether this is true or not, I do not know.

"The rate on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road is somewhat less, I think about $125, but no stock can be taken, as in the case with the Illinois Central.

"The south, I understand, wants settlers. Why can't the railroads meet the settler half way at least and not try to seemingly rob him before he lands in a strange country?

"As I said, I want to go south but don't see how I can stand the rates. It is my plan to go into fruit and poultry business and have raised quite a block of chickens, thinking of course, I could get them there without being held up.

"I don't know that you can do anything in regard to this, but if you don't know the conditions, it is well for you to have the facts and perhaps some avenue may open for you to help in some way."

Manager Montague has booked "The Pilgrim Girls" for the Palace theater early next month. The women will present a high class musical program, similar to that given by the University Girls last season.

H. M. Tate has returned to New Smyrna from Alabama, where he spent the greater part of the summer. Part of the time he spent at his home in Montgomery and part of the time at Camp Pierce with the state rifle club, of which he is a member.

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A Canal street lot in Inwood.
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See M. LEIDERSDORF.

Plans are well under way for the entertainment of the Florida Educational association which meets in Key West, December 30th for a three days' session.

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Read the New Smyrna News.

PULPIT TOPICS

Episcopal Church—

The 24th Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school at the Grace Episcopal church. Subject of lesson: "The Preparation for the Ministry of our Lord." Everybody welcome.

M. E. Church, South—

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Lesson topic: "Balak and Balaam." Scripture: Numbers 22, 1-19. G. L. Branning, superintendent, E. L. Greer, vice superintendent. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m. Strangers and visitors cordially invited to all the services of the church.

W. A. FISCHER, Pastor.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Daytona Beach

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

DAYTONA BEACH, Oct. 28. —Manager J. P. Glenn, of the Seaside Inn, and bride, arrived this week from Kentucky, and Mr. Glenn and associate manager, W. D. Hill, who came in with the party, will be quite busy having the hotel put in order for the opening.

Silas P. Hubbell, large property owner, arived this week from New York and is at the Breakers.

Miss Ruth Coates arrived here Tuesday from New York City and points east, after a pleasant vacation trip, and rejoined the Coates' family circle at the Coates' home on Seabreeze avenue. Miss Coates spent most of the time with relatives at Littleton, Mass., visiting Boston later on and enjoyed the change immensely, but was glad to get back to the Sunny South, as were her friends to have her return.

Artist Fluhart was over from Holly Hill Tuesday, calling on friends.

The Oyama had a big bunch of people from the interior Sunday, four automobile parties, which came over from Orlando. The following party from Kissimmee registered for the day: Robt B Smith, Ed C. Roberts, O. Cimen and C. D. Cain. The more the inland towns folks get the Seabreeze-Daytona Beach habit, the better we are pleased.

I. M. Jackson and wife of Apopka motored over from their town with two car loads of friends and spent the week's end at the Buckeye cotage on Ocean avenue. The Buckeye cotage is owned by Mr. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs Neald, fo Cedar Rapids, Iowa, arived this week, and are located for the season on the first floor flat of Miss Shepherd's apartment house on North Atlantic Avenue.

Ben Richards, of Jacksonville, who is very popular with the Daytona Beach society set, is spending a few days in the burg, guest at the Daytona Beach hotel.

Major Ed Rector, who was with the Bunch grocery for a number of seasons is now with their successors, the Towne grocery, which helps it to retain its homelike appearance.

Mrs. Dryer's friends will regret to learn that she is suffering from a severe attack of tosillitis, which may necessitate her removal to a hospital for treatment.

Lucas, the Land Man, has opened a real estate office on Seabreeze avenue, in the Van Vazah bock, which to arrive from their home town, Wauford, of Cocoa. Mr. Wadford is a man of family but will leave his wife and children at Cocoa for the present. He has taken a room at Ocean Spray.

Dr. Jackson and family, of Lakeland who were occupying the Rhode Island cottage on the beach, left Tuesday on their return home.

Mr and Mrs H. M. Pollard, who has been away since June, spending the summer in Hendersonville and Asheville, N. C, are expected to reach here Wednesday and will again occupy their beach cottage.

E. A. Branch has leased the Rhode Island cottage for the winter to the Misses Tichenor, who regularly spend their winters here They are expected to arrivef rom their home town, Waukesha, Wis., this week or early in the next

Mr and Mrs. U. Hambrick arrived Monday from Kentucky, and are pleasantly domiciled in their comfortable new bungalow on Hollywood avenue

Mr and Mrs Thomas Beach returned Friday from Clark Lake, Mich., and joined their son at their winter home on Hollywood avenue

Mr. and Mrs. Vining, who were at the beach for a time, have leased for the season and are now occupying the Atlantic beach cottage. Mrs. Vining is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beach.

Sidewalks are being laid on Live Oak street in front of the Keenan block, which will improve the appearance and approach of the three or four cottages Mr Keenan has erected for let on that street in the same block with his new business house, on Seabreeze avenue

Captain and Mrs Henry, who are cruising in their boat, Wenona, and tied up at the Phillips' for a few days, left Monday for St. Augustine, their home town.

C P. Preston, of Indianapolis, Ind, has purchased of C. L. Horn, his cottage on Orange street, and is now in possession.

Mrs E. A. Freman left Tuesday for Enterprise for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon.

Stephen S. Smith and son-in-law, Fred Allen, had a pleasant automobile trip to Narcoosa last week. They spent several hours with Rev W. L. Barze and wife at Winter Park on their return, and altogether enjoyed the outing, which was made in Mr. Smith's car, very much.

Mrs. Minnie Barnes is expected home this week from Grand Lodge, Mich., where she has been with Mr. and Mrs. Sheets for a couple of months The last news from Mr. Sheets is that he is improving and his doctor says he may enjoy his Thanksgiving dinner in Florida.

A. S. Randall has leased the Freeman cottage on Peninsula drive for the year, and will occupy it November 1st. The family has been on the beach in one of the Stewart cottages all summer

J. L. Reed and daughter, Miss Marguerite and son, Joe R., are now pleasantly domiciled in the lower flat of the Branch apartment house on Coates street.

Mr. Washer, wife and two children arrived Monday from Pittsburg, Pa., and are gnests at Pinehurst.

Dr. and Mrs. John F. Morrisey will arrive today from Brooklyn, N Y., to occupy their winter home on Peninsula drive.

W. E. Strawn was in Jacksonville a few days last week, while his father looked after his building contracts here. On his return Saturday, he was accompanied by his brother, James Strawn, who will assist him while the rush is on.

W. C. Jones of Georgia, formerly with Baker & Lanier, Daytona, has accepted a position at the Daytona Beach pharmacy.

The White House, Mrs. W. F. Ayres, entertained a few specials at Sunday dinner in company with the regular guests and the week-end transients, and a most tempting menu was served. After dinner Mr. Ayres invited the entire party to a boat ride on the Halifax on his dandy boat, L Ayre, which is now in commission for the winter. The afternoon was perfectly ideal for a water trip, and the congenial company made the most of the pleasures of the passing hours. On their return to the Phillips' dock they were invited to adjourn to the Wenona, Captain Henry's boat, where they enjoyed some splendid music on the captain's fine cabinet phonograph, and were shown through their beautifully arranged and furnished houseboat by Mrs. Henry. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. A. Ayres, who arrived the night before, Mr. Clement and daughter, Miss Bell, Mrs. Selby, Clayton Codrington, Mrs. Strieff, Miss Towne, Mr. Enders, Mrs. Bernard and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ayres.

Kingston

KINGSTON, Oct. 92. — The Stubenbord family have come down from their Coney Island home, and are domiciled in their elegant winter residence on the corner of Ridgewood avenue and North street, Kingston.

W. E Strawn has taken the Smiley house on North Ridgewood avenue for the winter, and W. L. Strawn has moved into the south Cowan cottage. They are from Seabreeze.

E. M. Rich returned from Virginia Saturday evening of last week, leaving his wife with her mother for a while yet.

W. D. McCullough came in from East Palatka with his family on Monday, the 27th and occupies the Decker home on North Ridgewood avenue.

Mrs. Grace Bridier came on a visit to her mether, Mrs. Rich, on Saturday last, and returned home to St. Augustine on Monday.

T. M. McKenzie, who has been at the Ferndale for several months, left for Sanford on Tuesday of this week.

Latest arrivals are Tom Mason, of Hendersonville, N. C., and Oscar Markham, of Homeland, Ga.

Oscar Peterson, who has been for a long time guest of Ferndale, left on Sunday, 26th, for Miami where he has employment at the carpenters trade for sometime.

Church 900 Years Old.

The nine-hundredth anniversary of the oak-walled parish church of Greenstead, near Ongar, Essex, England, has just been celebrated. The church, which is built of split oak trees, is the only one of its kind in the country, and bids fair to last another 900 years.

Seabreeze

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, Oct. 29, -- Real estate is beginning to show some movement, although the buyers are nearly all home people. Among the transfers made last week the following are noted: Luther Willin, A. Vande Vorde and V. C. Grant have purchased adjoining lots on Earl and Wild Olive, of C. L. Harvey, and U. S. Shelly and I. W. Ramsy have purchased a couple of lots of the Dougherty estate on Granlview avenue, between Earl and Duke streets.

W. V. Wagnon has purchased a lot on Palmetto avenue near Earl street and will erect a seven room house for himself and family. A. VandeVorde is putting in the foundation this week.

Testing Petroleum Road Oil —

The town is this week making an experiment with petroleum road oil on a stretch of three hundred feet of road on North Halifax avenue, running south from the corner of Ora boulevard, in front of J. E. Thompson and L. Z. Burdick's residence property. The proposition was made by Mr. Thompson to furnish the oil provided the town would get the ground ready by rolling in a fresh dressing of marl, which was done last week. Monday morning three barrels of road oil was poured on in buckets and scrub brushes used to mix it in. The oil is said to be quite inexpensive, and is used with good effect on clay soils. Its welding qualities are yet to be tested out on our sandy soil. The water problem is not the only problem the town will have to solve within the next year or two. Where good material for street building is to come from now that the town is prohibited from dredging shell from the Halifax river is even now a vexing question to the town fathers. The marl that is being placed on the streets for want of better material, is a poor substitute for river shell.

Home Comers —

Henry W. Haynes and bride arrived Tuesday evening from Cheshire, Mass., and are with Mrs. A. W. Powers at her beautiful home on Glenview avenue for a time. In the meantime Mr. Haynes has attacked the accumulation of business that has been piling up for him at this end of the line all summer with characteristic vim and good will and things are moving around lively at the Princess Issena. Practically, the big addition is finished. The new furniture for it, every piece of which is solid mahogony, is arriving daily. A big water system, the Kewanee, is being installed. The dining room has been enlarged to a seating capacity of 150, and the fire-proof kitchen includes all the up-to-date modern conveniences in the culinary line.

Mr. and Mrs J. E. Thompson arrived the latter part of last week as anticipated. They had a delightful summer on the Pacific coast and in New York City with their daughter, Mrs. Saddler and household.

Col. and Mrs. T. F. Cordis came in the first of the week. They made the trip from New York City by Clyde line, Mohawk. From Jacksonville Mrs. Cordis and household attendants came by train. Col. Cordis motored down with his chaffeur in his car. Mr. and Mrs. Cordis spent the summer at their home in Long Meadow, Mass., as usual.

Mr and Mrs. J. M. Rogers arrived Tuesday from Chicago, Ill. They spent the summer as usual at their summer resort home in Traverse City, Mich., on the lakes.

R. E. Olds, who is coming down to accept the contract of his new home from Contractor Espedahl, is expected any day this week. The little home which he built, with all modern conveniences for his father and mother, seven or eight years ago, has been remodeled into a handsome home, the first story of which is veneered with coquina rock. The abundance of porch room, and the dissimilarity in style of architecture from the usual run of bungalows and two story building are attractive features in its favor.

Mrs. Geo. W. Buckner arrived last week from Indianapolis, Ind., where she was visiting her daughter all summer, and rejoined Mr. Buckner at Cosy cottage on the beach. Mrs. Buckner found her daughter in bad health; this, and one or two falls she had, made the summer very trying to Mrs. Buckner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Whitsett came over from Eustis Sunday and are at the Whitsett cottage for a couple of weeks. They expect Mr. and Mrs. E. Kipp and son, Lenwood, to get in from New York Friday and join them for a visit on the beach before they settle down for the winter in Daytona. Mrs. Kipp left her brother, Ernest Whitsettt, in Pennsylvania, visiting relatives.

J. J. Bishop is having his residence property on Live Oak street improved by laying a sidewalk in front, which extends along Mrs. Katherine Bunch's adjoining lot on the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins of Winnipeg, Canada, are occupying the Livingston beach cottage with their interesting family of children.

Messrs. Alfred Foster and George Fernald of Sanford were over from the interior last Sunday and while in the burg had a pleasant visit with Mrs. De Vere Howard on North Halifax avenue.

Mrs. Mathas returned last week from a visit with her mother at Tuscola, Ill, and joined her family at their home on North Halifax avenue for the winter.

Mrs. Baldwin's little cottage on North Halifax avenue has been again leased to Mr. and Mrs. Edison, of Elmira. N. Y., who arrived this week and are now comfortably domiciled for the winter.

Mrs. Allen is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. Browning, and her two interesting children, who came over from East Palatka a few days since. Ray Griggs also is at home with his mother at present.

Mr. Griffin, who recently purchased the Glenwood hotel, is down from Jacksonville looking after his property this week.

Mrs. J. B. Abercrombie has had cement sidewalk in front of her lot on Grandview avenue.

A. F. Hall, who is building a home for himself and family on an eight acre truck farm on the outskirts of Holly Hill. His brother, who arrived from Fredonia, N. Y., recently, will cultivate the farm this season, while Mr. Hall will remain at the Carrier place.

Mr and Mrs. E. P. Stengle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stengle and Miss Stengle arrived Sunday from Baltimore, Md., and are geting ready to open their hotel, the Geneva, on Ocean boulevard. Mr. and Mrs Stengle had quite a prosperous season at their summer hotel at Thousand Island Park, which closed a month ago, and now after a short rest are ready for the winter business.

Miss Maud Webster has leased the Gilmore house on North Halifax avenue, and will conduct it as a boarding house. She will be assisted by her mother, Mrs. Dorn.

Mrs. Mary Baker celebrated her birthday anniversary last Sunday at the Russell farm with a pleasant gathering of relatives.

Miss Ott was sufficiently improved Monday to be removed to her home on North Halifax avenue. She has a capable colored attendant with her, and her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Baker and Miss Thompson, a party from Elmira, N. Y., have taken apartments at the Elmira cottage for the season

A Daytona item of great interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baggett at Seabreeze was the arrival last Saturday morning of a nine pound boy at their pretty home on Fairview avenue, Daytona. Showers of good wishes and congratulations were sent from across the Halifax to the happy parents.

The Seabreeze postoffice building is putting on airs with a fresh dress of green and white paint. The artistic touches were laid on by acting postmaster, Mr. Riverburg, and the tonsorial artist, S. E. Morris.

FAMILY MOTORED FROM CHICAGO TO SEABREEZE

John Armstrong, wife and two sons, Oswald and William, and Mr. Armstrong's brother, James Armstrong, have just completed a long automobile tour, from Chicago, Ill., to Seabreeze, where Mr. Armstrong owns a winter home. They stopped over at Mammoth Cave, Ky., on the way south and report the roads to be in good condition. James Armstrong will return north in a cople of weeks time, but John Armstrong and family will remain here for the season. Messrs. Armstrong are members of the Armstrong Tool company of Chicago.

Left-Handed Stone Slingers.

The right hand doubtless owes something of its pre-eminence to the Bible. The Hebrews singled it out for special honor, and the Scriptures contain quite a hundred references in which "the right hand" is made the type and symbol of everything noble, praiseworthy and desirable. It is worth noting, however, that the tribe of Benjamin once boasted 700 left-handed slingers who "could sling stones to a hair's breadth and not miss," and that among the "mighty men and helpers" of King David were many who "could use both the right hand and the left in hurling stones and shooting arrows with the bow."

Slander.

When the tongue of slander stings thee let this be thy comfort: They are not the worst fruits on which the wasps alight.—Gottfried Burger.

Port Orange

MRS. J. L. PATTILLO, Correspondent

PORT ORANGE, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Harwell, of Atlanta, Ga., is a guest of the Tribble.

Fielder Wilson, from Wisconsin, arrived Sunday night and is stopping at the Tribble for the season.

Dr. R. L. Reed, of Joliet, Ill., arrived last week and is located in his winter home on the river shore. Miss Reed will be down a little later.

Moses Hunt and family, of Bellmore, L. I., arrived Saturday of last week and are located in their winter home on the peninsula.

Mrs. W. C. Howes returned home Saturday from Dennis, Mass., where she spent the summer with relatives and friends.

Capt. C. F. Dunderdale has returned to his former home at Fulford for the purpose of bringing up his launch to be used here this winter.

Capt. D. E. Lyon is again able to get out on the streets after a ten-days illness.

We regret to chronicle the illness of Miss Jessie Dupont, who has been quite sick for the past ten days.

Hon. H. B. Smith was able to go fishing on the bridge last week and landed the largest sheepshead caught during the day.

Mrs. M. A. Briggs, who has spent the summer with her father in Pennsylvania, is expected to reach home about Saturday of next week.

Miss Annie George, who was here for a number of winters with the late Mrs. Mary E. Meeker, has recently been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Roelker in New York City.

The town council has been having weekly meetings during the present month in order to complete the tax books and look after other urgent matters.

C. J. Vass has been appointed by the mayor to fill out the unexpired term of I. J. Wells, Jr., who recently resigned the office of tax collector and marshal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nolan, who have occupied the Smith cottage during the summer, have taken rooms with Miss Caroline McDonald for the winter.

Mr. Yelvington and family, of Yelvington, Fla., have been spending several days with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yelvington.

John Tedder is driving a new flow well for Mrs. Sarah Montague at her home at the north end of town.

C. L. Burgess, of Woodhull, Ill., has rented the Lyon cotage on North Ridgewood avnue and he and his wife will reach here about the 7th of November.

The young people of Prof. Bayless' room in the public school, have organized a literary society which holds its regular meetings on Friday afternoons. The public will not be admitted to the exercises until the fall term of school.

Seven new pupils were enrolled in the public school on Monday morning, and several more are yet to enter.

Mrs. Rubie Robbles, of Tampa, has recently been the guest of her uncle, A. J. Dugger. Mrs. Robbles left Sunday for Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. J. B. Meriweather, of Fort Pierce, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Tedder. Mrs. Meriweather has with her Miss Alma Lane, a charming young lady, also of Fort Pierce.

A recent letter from Capt. Charles Fozzard advises that he and Mrs. Fozzard are debating between spending the winter in San Diego and coming to Port Orange. They are at present occupying apartments with Mr. and Mrs. Chas Reifsnider, in Los Angeles. Mrs. Brohm and Miss Ruth are also with the Reifsniders.

The latest reports are that Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and daughter, Miss Gowdy, all of Long Island, will not spend the winter here as they formerly planned to do, owing to some business matters developing that will keep them in the north this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilmarth are expecting to arrive early next week; Dr. and Mrs. Kessler about the same time, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haff about a week later.

There were no services held at the Methodist church last Sunday morning, the pastor having been detained at Kingston in revival services there. The usual song and prayer service was held Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary A. K. Davis is to arrive on Saturday of this week; her grandson, David Stebbleton, who has been spending the winters here with his grandmother, is in school this winter and will not come down. A sister of Mrs. Davis, Mrs Jay, who has spent several winters here formerly, will be with Mrs. Davis this winter.

Mrs. J. L. Pattillo, the assistant postmaster here, will take charge of the office again next Monday morning after having enjoyed a rest of four months

A. H. Tedder has rented a room from C. J. Vass and opened a barber shop for the season, but has recently leased same to B. A. Anderson, of Ohio who will reach here next week and take charge.

J. H. Carow has his teams busy hauling lumber and other building material to Wilbur-by-the-Sea for Eaton, who has the contract to b three cottages which are to be r for occupancy before the middl December.

Work on the hotel and the n other improvements at Allandal going forward with renewed tivity as the winter season proaches. With the present prosp of success great things are expe in the way of development at point within the next year. With natural beauty and one of the perfect locations on the East C there is no reason why Allan should not see at least a hundred homes inside of two years.

Light on the Spot.

An attachment has been made to revolver by a French inventor which the weapon in the hands greenhorn is as deadly as in thos a dead-sure shot. A small and po ful electric lamp is mounted on weapon in such a manner that a cle of light is projected upon the get and the bullet will strike the ter of the ring. This particular tion is marked by a dark spot, this spot being placed over the h of an adversary and the trigger ed the bullet cannot fail in its de work.

Was It a Hint?

They had been talking as walked. She had remarked pat ically: "Oh, it must be terrible man to be rejected by a woma "Indeed it must," was his respo Then, after a while, with sympath ingenuousness, she exclaimed: doesn't seem that I could ever the heart to do it." And there c a silence between them as he tho it over.

Good Rule.

I try to make my enmities transi and my frien ternal —Cicer

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ALL IN THREE WORDS

By ALLAN G. LAMOND

While scanning a newspaper for the purpose of passing the time my eyes lighted on the following advertisement:

Mme Durant—Healer. Removes the wear and tear of domestic troubles. Reunites divorced couples. Effects reconciliation between parted lovers.

I cut the ad. out of the newspaper and put it in my pocketbook About once an hour I read it over. I wondered if Mme. Durant could help me. I wanted some one to go to Delia and show her how unreasonable she had been. At last I started for the address given, with no definite purpose.

I expected to find Mme. Durant in a dingy apartment, with worn furniture and not overcleanly. Madame herself would doubtless be either French, Italian, Spanish or of some other superstitious race and rely chiefly for her fees upon any or all of these peoples She would be of tawny complexion, hair like an Indian and eyes piercing black.

She was nothing of the kind. I rang the doorbell of a neat little house, and a tidy young woman answered the summons. She was Mme. Durant, only she was an American and Durant was not her name. She had adopted it because she considered it more attractive than her own. Ida Smith She invited me into a neatly furnished living room, and after hemming and hawing and stammering I finally got out what I wanted to tell her about my difficulty with Delia and asked if she would engage to bring the young lady to her senses.

She said that from what I had told her she judged Delia to be entirely in the wrong, while the position I had taken was unimpeachable. She would engage to settle the matter between us for $100, half of which was to be paid in advance and the other half after the reconciliation. If there was no reconciliation I was not to pay the remainder of the fee. She was to make the acquaintance of my ex-fiancee, and without letting her know her mission gain her confidence and convince her that she owed me a humble apology.

This was a heads I win, tails you lose in favor of Miss Smith. But she seemed very confident of being able to bring Delia and me together and had an honest countenance. This and my desire for a "makeup" decided me, and drawing a check for $50 I gave it to her. I sat some time after this listening to the cures she had effected. She had brought together a father and a daughter, the latter having been turned out of doors for marrying a man the father did not like. She had reunited no end of divorced couples and parted lovers. She did it all on a principle which could be stated in three words When I asked her to give me these words she laughed and said, "Should I do so you would expect me to hand you back the retaining fee you have given me, and there would be no reconciliation."

I heard from Mme Durant, or Miss Smith, as I prefer to call her, within two days During this time she had managed to make Delia's acquaintance and learned about our separation. The following was the letter I received from the woman I had hired to convince Delia that she had ill treated me:

Dear Sir—I suppose you were giving me a correct version of the disagreement between you and your fiancee. I am convinced from what Miss Douglas has told me that you are entirely unworthy of so estimable a young lady. I return your check, since I find that the conditions under which I accepted it are entirely at variance with the facts. Yours truly,
MME. DURANT.

P. S.—Should you desire any further information in the matter you are at liberty to call at my house, and I will give it to you

Astonished, chagrined, mortified. I begun to consider what I had done to bring about such a result. I spent a week thinking upon my own share in the quarrel. At the end of that time I had made up my mind that I was as much to blame as Delia. Then it occurred to me that if I was as much to blame as she the fault was all mine, for a man should have more control over himself than a woman whose nature is supposed to be more volatile.

I could not doubt Miss Smith's sincerity, for she had returned my fee and had no interest in deceiving me. I went to see her and had a talk with her, but gained no information. I confessed the result of my deliberations and told her I preferred that she should be paid for her trouble. So I handed her the check she had returned to me. Before accepting it she asked me what I was going to do. I told her I would go to Delia and take all the blame for our disagreement.

As soon as I said this Miss Smith put the check in her portmanteau and, taking a note from a desk, handed it to me I immediately recognized Delia's handwriting. It read:

Dearest George—Miss Smith has convinced me that it was all my fault. Forgive me. Your loving DELIA.

I looked up at Miss Smith and saw her smiling at me. I sat thinking for a few moments, during which an understanding of her adroitness found its way into my stupid brain.

"I think I can tell you," I said to her, "what is the principle on which you work. It is contained in three words. It is 'Look within yourself.'"

"You have hit it exactly," was her reply.

"And now"—I continued taking out of my pocket my check book—"it is time to pay you the balance of your fee," and I wrote a check for double the amount.

Then I went posthaste to Delia.

COUNTY SEAT DEPARTMENT

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS ALL OVER VOLUSIA COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT.

During the past week the following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, the transfers being reported especially for this paper by the Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds —

Jacob W Wilbur and Addie V Wilbur to Wilbur F Cobb, lot 1, plat 1, Wilbur-by-th-Sea, being part sec 12, twp 16, R 33.

Elijah Williams and Ruby Williams to A. C. Haynes, lot 2, blk 3, Waltz 2 add to DeLand.

Henrietta Straub to F N Conrad and Cornelius Christiancy, lot 1, Assessor's plat of lot 1, sec 9, twp 16, R 33 E.

Charles A Ballough and Mabel G Ballough to E A Lapp, part of lot 5, blk 3, Rogers sub of part of lot 5, blk 2, Coleman's Daytona.

Rufus Manns and Eugene Manns to James Williams, lot 16, sub of lot 1 and 2, blk 55, Mason & Colemans add to Daytona.

M A Sawyer to Henry Wilson, lot 5, blk 2, sub within Town of Ormond, known as Beldens resurvey of Melrose.

A H Hutchinson and Carrie L Hutchinson to J M Templin, S 6 chs of NE ¼ of NE¼ of SE¼ and NW¼ of NE ¼ of SE¼ of sec 14, twp 17, R 30.

Charles A Ballough and Mabel G. Ballough to W A Baggett, lot 5, sub of Joe Ross homestead in Holly Hill.

J S Dreggers and Renna Dreggers to J O Lucius, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, and 14, City blk 6, Spring Garden City.

Edwin G Baldwin and Elizabeth R Baldwin to Clifford Botts, W½ of blk 88, DeLand.

Geo T Self and Frances H Self to E J Mays, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, blk B, Bleck's sub City of DeLand.

John A Cuthbert and Hattie Cuthbert to Rosa Collins, a parcel of land in Green's add to Daytona which is a sub of lots 11, 12, and 13, blk 53.

Hodges, O'Hara & Russell company to Letta Rice Clark, tract 10, blk 2, in SW¼ of NW ¼ sec 17, twp 19, R 33.

V W Gould et al to Augustus M Cooper et al, E½ of SW¼ of NW¼ of SE¼ sec 8, twp 17, R 30.

Emma C Kingston and George W Kingston to Frank C Randall et al, S 25 ft of W 100 ft of N 300 ft, blk 59A, City of Daytona.

Don A Buss to Edna M Reeve and Sara E Reeve, commencing at a point 8 rods south and 1 rod east of the NW cor of blk 159 in the precinct of Lake Helen, running thence south 6 rods, thence east 39 rods to the east side of said block, thence north 6 rods thence west to the place of beginning.

Nathan E Roberts and Ophilia Roberts to James C Reed, NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec 16, Tp. 13, R 30—40 acres.

Emily D Day to Harwood Huntington, lots 7, 8, and 13, sub of Ormond.

Anna M. Hubbard to Emily D Day, lot 7, plated sub of Ormond, known as Worthy & Hubbard sub.

George M Houston and Agnes G Houston to Max Kahn, tracts 88 and 95, Houston sub in sec 7, twp 13, R 32, together with the following lots: lot 5 in blk 5, lot 7, blk 10; lot, 8 ,blk 6, Townsite of Pelican.

Hodges, O'Hara & Russell company to Ada Dennison, tract 5, blk 3, being located in NW¼ of SW¼ of sec 7, twp 19, R 33.

Jake Allman and Carry Allman to Jasper J Allman, N 5 chs and 38 lks of S 10 chs and 40 lks of E 6 chs and 57 lks of frac NW¼ of sec 18, twp 19, R 32.

Luther Willin and Bertha M Willin et al to Pearl E Shamburger, E 100 ft lot 13, blk 15, sub of portion lot 1, sec 4, twp 15, R 33, Daytona Beach.

Quitclaim Deeds —

E H Armstrong and Irene Armstrong to W J Braddock, lots 12, 13 and S½ of lot 14, blk 4, Brush & Stewart's Seabreeze.

William B Nelson et al, to M A Sawyer, lot 5, blk 2, sub of Ormond known as Belden's resurvey of Melrose.

Carrie L Hutchinson and A H Hutchinson to the Ellsworth Trust company, NE¼ of NE¼ of NW¼ of sec 36, twp 19, R 33.

Articles of Agreement —

George Boynton and Amelia Boynton to W K Rose, lots 11 and 13, blk 4, Waits' sec add to DeLand.

George Watson to Almira Watson, E 18 ft of lot 11, all lot 12 and W 22 ft lot 13, all blk 1, Mayo's sub of river lot 6, Ormond.

J S Duss Jr. to Will Dickson, lot 13, blk 9, Inwood sub of New Smyrna.

The rope making industry from sisal hemp at St. James City, in Lee county, is proving quite a success.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses —

Thos. J. Gilfillon and Lou Emma Gregory.

J. S. Wright and Anna Belle Thomas both of New Smyrna.

G. Davis Hart and Gertrude C. Keely, both of DeLand.

C. Applegate and Mrs. S. S. Jones.

Probate Proceedings —

Application filed for letters of guardainship in the matter of J. D. Gardner Marguerite Gardner, Martha Gartner and William Gregg Gardner, minor children of J. H. Gardner and Saralina Gardner, both deceased, of Daytona.

Last will and testament of Eliza Terry, colored, of Daytona, has been filed for record.

Court Orders —

D. H .McMillan vs. Fidelity Bank of New Smyrna, order for injunction on filing bond.

Annie Belle Thomas vs Jesse Thom-Thomas decree of divorce.

George E. Spear vs. G. P. Nansworthy, order of reference.

Common Law Suits —

D. H. McMillan vs. State Bank of New Smyrna, assumpsit.

J. S. Ditson vs. Phoenix Assurance Company, assumpsit.

Wilson & Toomer Co. vs. A. W. Brown, assumpsit.

Chancery Suits —

Peoples State Bank of Daytona vs. J. N. Randar, foreclosure.

Elizabeth Hall vs. Henry Hall, divorce.

TWO HURT WHEN AUTO TURNS TURTLE ON DELAND STREET

ONE RENDERED UNCONSCIOUS WHEN CAR FALLS ON HIM — NEITHER SERIOUSLY INJURED IN THE MISHAP.

DeLAND, Oct. 28. — While E. C. Grosskopie, who is employed with the Bracy Drug Co., accompanied by Hugo Lanuette, was driving out the Boulevard in a light runabout, in an attempt to turn the machine from the sandy roadside up onto the shell road, the car turned turtle, pinning Grosskopie beneath it, and throwing Lanulet for some distane. Grosskopie was unconscious for a short time, but came to as the car was lifted off from him. Though both the young men suffered rather painful injuries, neither was dangerously hurt, and both were able to report for duty the following morning. The machine was not being driven rapidly when the accident occurred, but the deep sand caught the front wheels just right to throw it overwhen they attempted to turn onto the road.

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Fear Trouble After Spilling Salt.

In many of the rural districts of Russia people when they spill salt not only toss a pinch over the left shoulder, but also crawl under the table and come out the other side, in order to avert ill-luck; while in New England, to break the evil spell of spilling salt, every particle is supposed to be collected and thrown on the stove to be consumed.

Superstitions Concerning Salt.

According to a popular Norwegian belief, one will shed as many tears as may suffice to dissolve the quantity of salt which one has spilled; while in some parts of Yorkshire it is often said that every grain of salt spilled on the table represents a tear to be shed.

Justifies Impatient Father.

Law Notes quotes the following from the opinion of Justice Riddell of the high court of justice, Ontario, in a habeas corpus case over the custody of a child: "And even if he did not wish his sleep to be broken by a crying infant, it is understood that this is not without precedent in the tenderest and most conscientious of fathers."

HEAVY SENTENCES IMPOSED BY JUDGE ON BOOZE SELLERS

RANKS OF ROAD GANGS AUGMENTED AND FINE AND FORFEITURE FUND GREATLY INCREASED.

DeLAND, Oct. 28 — For two weeks the wheels of justice have been grinding in the criminal court of Volusia county, with the result that the ranks of the road gangs have been augmented and the fine and forfiture fund has been increased. The case which attracted the most interest during the term was that of A. S. J. Marsh, who was tried upon the charge of "fraudulently branding a certain animal."

Albert Marsh is a member of one of the largest and most influential families engaged in the cattle business in this county, while Phil Leonardy, the chief prosecuting witness, is one of a family who are leaders of the cattle industry of the south end. The court room was crowded during the trial with friends of both factions, who watched the developments of the case with keen interest.

The defendant was charged with having branded a yearling heifer with his brand, which belonged to the Leonardy estate. Many witnesses were examined, and some of the leading attorneys of the state were retained by both the prosecution and defense. The arguments of counsel consumed a half day's time after the evidence was all in. The jury was out but a short time after the case was given them, when they returned a verdict of "Not guilty."

That justice is blind at times at least is illustrated by the case of L. E. Green, who was tried upon a charge of "obtaining money under false pretenses." The evidence showed that Green, who was a negro, purports to be a kind of a voodoo man of mystery, who works upon the credulity of his superstitious race, and waxes fat by vending certain charms and amulets. Among other things, he sold "lucky hands," said to be composed of brimstone and other mysterious powders, the possession of which are supposed to be immune from trouble, even though they commit crimes against the state. It is alleged that he became bold in his operations and demanded ten dollars from a woman for a "lucky hand," which he claimed had been ordered by her husband. She paid the money over to him, but upon finding that she had been imposed upon promptly had him arrested. The result of his trial would seem to prove some efficacy for his concoctions, for, though the evidence against him seemed to be convincing, and though he had neither witnesses or lawyer to defend him, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. Judge Fish criticised the jury in discharging them, and ordered the defendant held to answer the charge of perjury.

There were numerous liquor-selling cases before the court, the judge and the other county officers being determined to put an end to the blind tiger business in Volusia county.

Following is the docket of cases tried at this term, a number of others having been continued:

Thomas Suber, illegal sale of liquor, one hundred and fifty dollars and costs, or six months on the county roads.

Will Graham, cruelty to an animal, not guilty.

Joe Allen, illegal sale of liquor. Not guilty.

Moses Greer, robbery. Guilty. Three years in the state penitentiary.

Tom Cole, breaking and entering. Guilty. Eighteen months in the state reform school.

The following were tried for vagrancy and each found guilty and sentenced to a fine of fifteen dollars, or ninety days on the county roads: Jno. Gleason, William Hanlon, Frank Stewart, Arthur Wagner and Harry Feall.

Corinne Redd pleaded guilty to illegal sale of liquor and was sentenced to pay a fine of seventy-five dollars or serve four months in the county jail.

Jesse Rogers, illegal sale of liquor. Two hundred dollars and costs or five months on the county roads.

Ella Gillyard, assault with intent to commit murder. Found guilty and sentenced to a fine of two hundred dollars or nine months imprisonment.

Thelma Paterson, illegal sale of liquor. Not guilty.

Will Cook, illegal sale of liquor. Fine one hundred dolars or six months imprisonment.

Lilly May Major, illegal sale of liquor. Fifty dollars fine or thirty days' imprisonment.

Bill Williams, illegal sale of liquor. Fine, one hundred and fifty dolars, or six months on the county roads.

Stokes Sally, assault and battery. Five dollars and costs, or sixty days on the county roads.

Lige Williams, aggravated assault. Twelve months on county roads. Robert Brown, illegal sale of liquor. Two years in the penitentiary.

Waddie Wigfall, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars or six months on county roads.

Alec Johnson, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars, or six months on county roads.

Herbert Washington, carrying concealed weapons. One hundred dollars or six months on county roads.

Waddie Houston, illegal sale of liquor. One hundred and fifty dollars, or six months on county roads.

Holly Williams, obtaining money under false pretenses. Acquitted.

Herbert Long, petit larceny. Six months on county roads.

Insidious Humor.

A budding author who was making excursions into humor sent a paragraph to the editor of a daily paper. Not finding it printed within a reasonable time or hearing from the editorial department he wrote about its welfare: "I sent you a joke about ten days ago. I have heard nothing respecting its safe receipt, and should be glad to hear whether you have seen it." The editor's reply was as follows: "Your joke arrived safely, but up to the present we have not seen it."

Little Hint.

A little girl came down to dessert at a dinner party and sat next to her mother. This lady was occupied in talking to her neighbors and omitted to give the child anything. After some time the little girl, unable to bear it any longer, with sobs rising in her throat, held up her plate and said: "Does anybody want a clean plate?"

Not Any Use There.

"There are some things," said the man with the high brow, "that money won't buy." "I s'pose there are," replied the other with the overlapping chin, "but there's no use tryin' to use 'em to get an extension of your credit."

Didn't Settle.

Fontaine Fox hurried in this morning and returned two cigarettes to us. He neglected, however, to return the match.—Chicago Post.

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NEW SMYRNA FLORIDA

RIPE FRUIT AND GOOD PRICES

Throughout the fruit belt there is evidently a greater degree of optimism than has ever been shown in times past, and everybody is expressing the belief that the season now opening will be the most successful from every point of view ever enjoyed by Florida growers.

Reports from all markets are that good prices are prevailing and indications are that as good or better prices will prevail later in the season.

Why?

Simply because the people of Florida have to a greater degree stopped the ruinous practice of rushing into the markets with green fruit, although a desperate fight has been necessary to make many of them realize the wisdom of this course.

Furthermore, grapefruit and oranges are now being picked and packed in a scientific manner, improvement being noted even the most backward growers.

As a result, Florida fruit, which is really of a better quality than that of California, is at last coming into its own and is invading the territory for years held fast by the Golden Gate state with its better method of handling the fruit from the groves to the tables of the consumers.

Florida growers have lost millions and millions of dollars through failure to co-operate and adopt the best methods of handling and the Metropolis hopes the day is not far distant when there will not be the slightest evedence of discord among the growers of the eastern central and Gulf coast counties.

We unity in all other industries as well as that of fruit growing.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

Few See Things as They Are.

The mass of mankind will never have any ardent zeal for seeing things as they are; very inadequate ideas will always satisfy them. On these inadequate ideas will always repose, and must repose, the general practice of the world. That is as much as saying that whoever sets himself to see things as they are will find himself one of a very small circle; but it is only by this small circle resolutely doing its own work that adequate ideas will ever get current at all.—Matthew Arnold.

In a Pinch.

The old fashioned idea of a good pinch hitter was a man who could clean up a cotton patch with a weeding hoe before the rain came.—Dallas News.

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LOCAL NEWS

*Step lively, let Herrick fix it.

Charles Furcn and daughter were in Daytona Monday.

Marshal J. T. Brooke made a business trip to the county seat last Saturday.

J. E. Osteen and family of Oak Hill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooke Sunday.

Mrs. Ruben Copeland and two children spent Sunday in Titusville as the guests of friends.

The general appearance of Palmetto street is being improved by the trimming of the trees.

H. S. Walker and family have returned from their trip to North Carolina points.

Mrs. Margaret Knapp, who is very sick in Klock's sanitorium at Daytona, is still very low.

Mrs. A. E. Knapp is improving nicely in a hospital at Daytona and hopes soon to be home.

Mrs. Charles Clark and family moved to Cocoa the first part of this week. Mrs. Clark will conduct a store in that city.

George F. Clarke and wife arrived the first of the week from Maine and will remain in New Smyrna through the winter season.

E. L. Greer recently returned from the sanitorium at Hawks Park and has resumed his place in the New Smyrna grocery store. Mr. Greer is still weak from his recent illness, but is recovering nicely now.

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LOCAL FARMERS ARE GROWING CROPS FOR MID-WINTER FAIR

NEW SMYRNA TO HAVE GOOD EXHIBIT AT THE EXPOSITION TO BE GIVEN IN ORLANDO NEXT FEBRUARY.

New Smyrna and vicinity will be well represented at the big mid-winter fair and exposition to be held in Orlando next February, if present indications are to be considered, and it is believed this section will make as good a showing with exhibits as any part of Volusia county.

The plan is to make the mid-winter exposition representative of the five counties adjoining Orange county and the Volusia county commissioners recently appropriated the sum of $300 to defray the expense of having an exhibit from this county.

The matter of preparing the exhibit was originally placed in the hands of the joint advertising committee of the DeLand, Daytona and New Smyrna boards of trade, but later the county commissioners arranged with one man to take charge of the matter of preparing and arranging the exhibit.

In order to have New Smyrna make a good showing Messrs. Roper, Arnold and Allen were appointed as a committee of members of the local board of trade at a recent meeting to see to the matter of preparing an exhibit from this section, and these men have already arranged for some special crops to be planted, cultivated and harvested for the express purpose of exhibition.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR SCHOOL DESERVED LARGER AUDIENCE

Editor New Smyrna News:

Among the few people who attended the home talent entertainment for the benefit of the public school reference library given in the theatre last Saturday night, I was one of those present and enjoyed the program, but could not help but be annoyed by the constant thought that the audience should have been much larger than it was.

The public school is one thing in which every citizen, whether he has children in school or not, should be interested and an entertainment given for the cause for which the one last Saturday night was given should be attended by every person in town, from patriotic motives if for no other reason.

The New Smyrna public school is not what it should be, at least it has not been in the past, and the only way in which it can be built up to the standard all would like to see it come is by all the parents and citizens taking enough interest in the matter to do every thing possible in the way of helping. The opportunity to patronize the entertainment given last week gave everybody a chance to help to that extent, and the presence of a larger audience would have given more encouragement to the public school teachers and the pupils by giving them to understand that the citizens of the town are interested in the school work.

If you will permit me the space, I would like to express the opinion that if there were more women in this town with the same spirit of self sacrifice, unselfishness and energy displayed by Mrs. Hofreiter, New Smyrna would have a reputation all over this state because of the excellence of her public schools. With nothing to gain in a personal way, but with the interests of the public school always in view, Mrs. Hofreiter deserves the commendation of every citizen of New Smyrna for her efforts to make the entertainment a success.

Mrs. Hofreiter has succeeded in stirring up a spirit for the betterment of our public school and the rest of us should be ready to put our shoulder to the wheel and push.

Yours truly,
MRS. ———.

New Smyrna, Oct. 27.

Mrs. Allen Lands Big Fish—

One fishing trip that has not been exploited much took place last week, when the honors went to one of the regular winter visitors to New Smyrna from Washington C. H., Ohio. Mrs. F. M. Allen of Orange street was the champion of the day of a party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. Smith and a friend from Kentucky, and Scott Beatty of Coronado. The day was spent at Red Shell. Each of the party landed a bass, and Mr. Beatty secured three, but Mrs. Allen drove them all to cover when she pulled in a bass that weighed 30 pounds after it had been bled.

EAST FLORIDA DESCRIBED IN BOOK PRINTED IN 1769

OFFICIAL REPORT MADE TO BRITISH GOVERNMENT ABOUT THIS STATE, THEN A BRITISH COLONY.

In a book printed by the British government in 1769, a copy of which is in possession of the Rev. E. M. C. Dunklin, Baptist city missionary, Tampa, one of the first complete descriptions of the state, at that time a British possession, is to be found. It is declared to be "Florida's first real estate ad," written by John Bertram, a botanist of Philadelphia, who describes a trip up the St. Johns river from St. Augustine.

The book is entitled "Bertram's East Florida" and is inscribed "To the Most Honorable Charles, Marquis of Rockingham, First Lord of the Treasury," the treasury department of England having furnished the funds for the trip, that country being anxious to ascertain the value of its new possession, only recently secured from Spain. The book's figures on meteorology are surprisingly accurate, when it is considered that the writer spent only a short time in "East Florida." Statements about the annual rainfall are shown to be correct by present records.

According to the book "East Florida" is described as a land of great agricultural resources and in which the soil was particularly adapted to the culture of silk, sugar, indigo, corn, hemp, alligator pears, oranges (of which there were 20,000 acres under cultivation), and rice, which, the statement was made on the authority of a South Carolinian, that Florida was "fitter for the growing of rice than Carolina." The writer of the book also stated that deer were abundant, that the flesh of hogs was better than grown in any other section, and there were "fewer insects, with the exception of the alligator, than in any other part of North America."

Bertram started on his trip in December, 1765, and in January of 1766 was in Florida when there occurred the first serious cold snap in the remembrance of the oldest residents. He states that the temperature fell to 26 degrees, that the ground was frozen a foot thick and that lime trees and other tender vegetation was killed. As a general thing, the book bore testimony, the climate of Florida was such that the Spaniards in St. Augustine had "neither chimneys to the houses nor glass windows."

In one respect the book conveys an important bit of scientific information. The writer states that water hyacinth, the same kind so prevalent now, grew in nearly all of the rivers and streams, and was so thick in some places as to effectually obstruct navigation. This puts to rout the theory advanced in recent years that the hyacinth was brought in from the West Indian islands or some other sections and is not native to Florida.

Some portions of the book are extremely amusing in the light of present day knowledge. For instance Bertram, in telling of his visits to mineral springs, since noted for the valuable qualities of their waters, described the waters as being "exceedingly offensive in odour and tastes, like bilge water or the washings of a gun barrel."

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osmun, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitman and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carlton, all of Mantague, Mich., arrived here Wednesday to remain through the winter season. The Osmuns will occupy their winter home on Magnolia street, and it is said Messrs. Whitman and Carlton will build winter homes at once.

A special business meeting was held by the New Smyrna Woman's club at the home of Mrs. Frost last Friday afternoon, the principal business done being the selection of Mrs. Frost to represent the club at the state federation meeting in Orlando in the near future. The club plans to obtain a suite of club rooms for use this winter. The regular meetings of the organization will begin next month.

Ladies Guild Meeting—

The guild ladies were charmingly entertained by Mrs. Van Duesen at her pretty home, Bayola, on the river shore Wednesday. A goodly amount of business was given proper attention, a number of important matters being under consideration, after which delicious refreshments were served. Dark caught us so we were obliged to adjourn to meet next Wednesday at the church. We are all glad to have Mrs. Van among us again. Our visitor favored us again. She is always welcome. ***

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NEXT DOOR TO PALACE THEATRE

New Smyrna Waking Up—

New Smyrna has recently held a mass meeting, at which it was shown that the people were almost unanimously in favor of having something done about water supply and sewerage. The city council, following up this suggestion, has employed civil engineers to survey and report upon the cost of installing a water plant and sewerage system. The News says that after the plans and surveys have been completed the people will be given an opportunity to express themselves on the matter of improvement bonds. The move made by New Smyrna is in the line of modern progress, and it is thought by many that there will be a strong majority in favor of improvement bonds. No town or city can grow to any considerable importance without public utilities, and the example in some Florida cities that own their utilities seems well worth following.—Times Union.

News comes from Jacksonville that work is progressing rapidly on the plant of the Jacksonville Brewing company, now in course of construction in the northwestern part of that city. Visitors go out daily to see the progress of the construction work.

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Send the News to your friends.

I. O. O. F.

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